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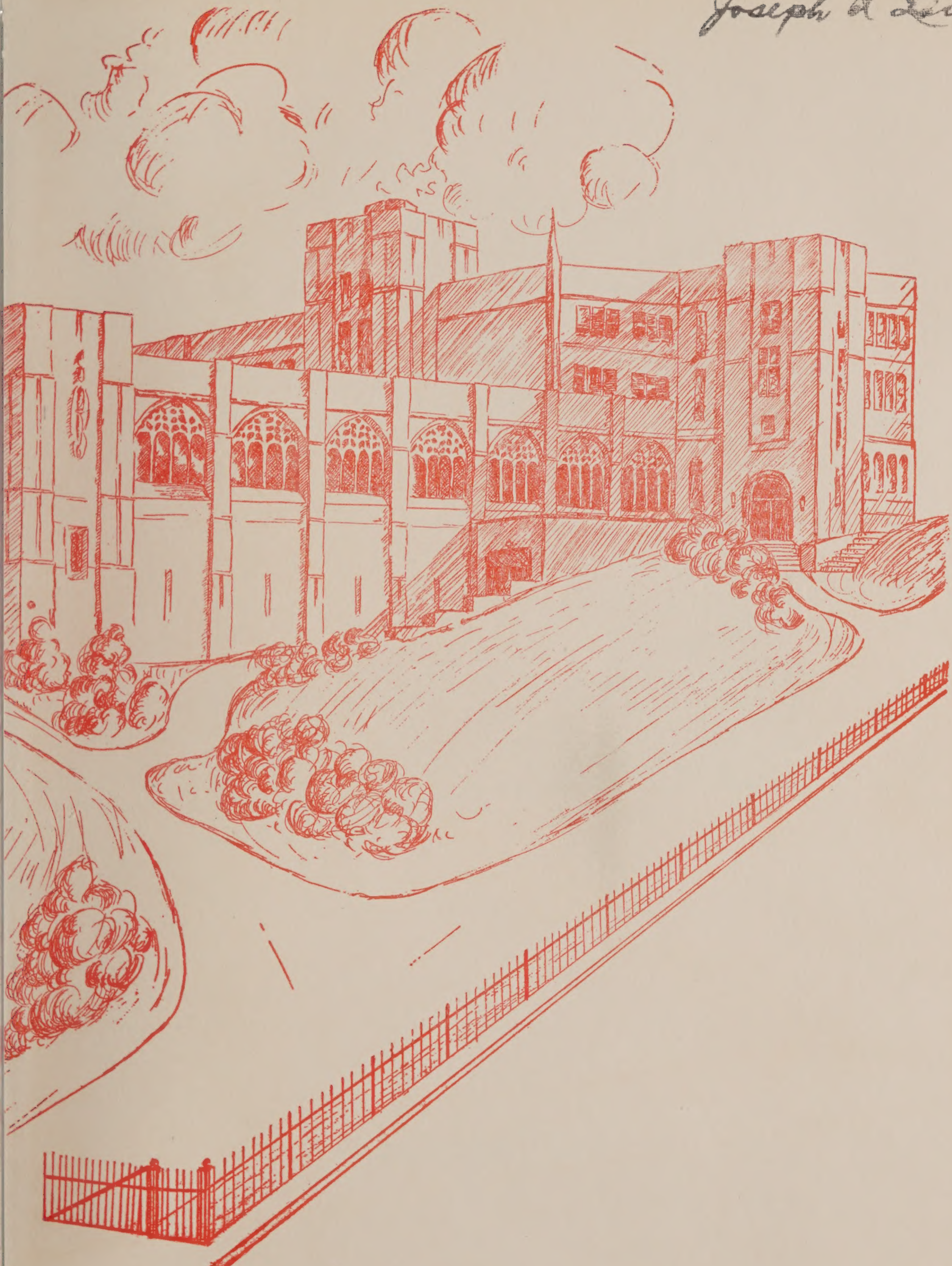

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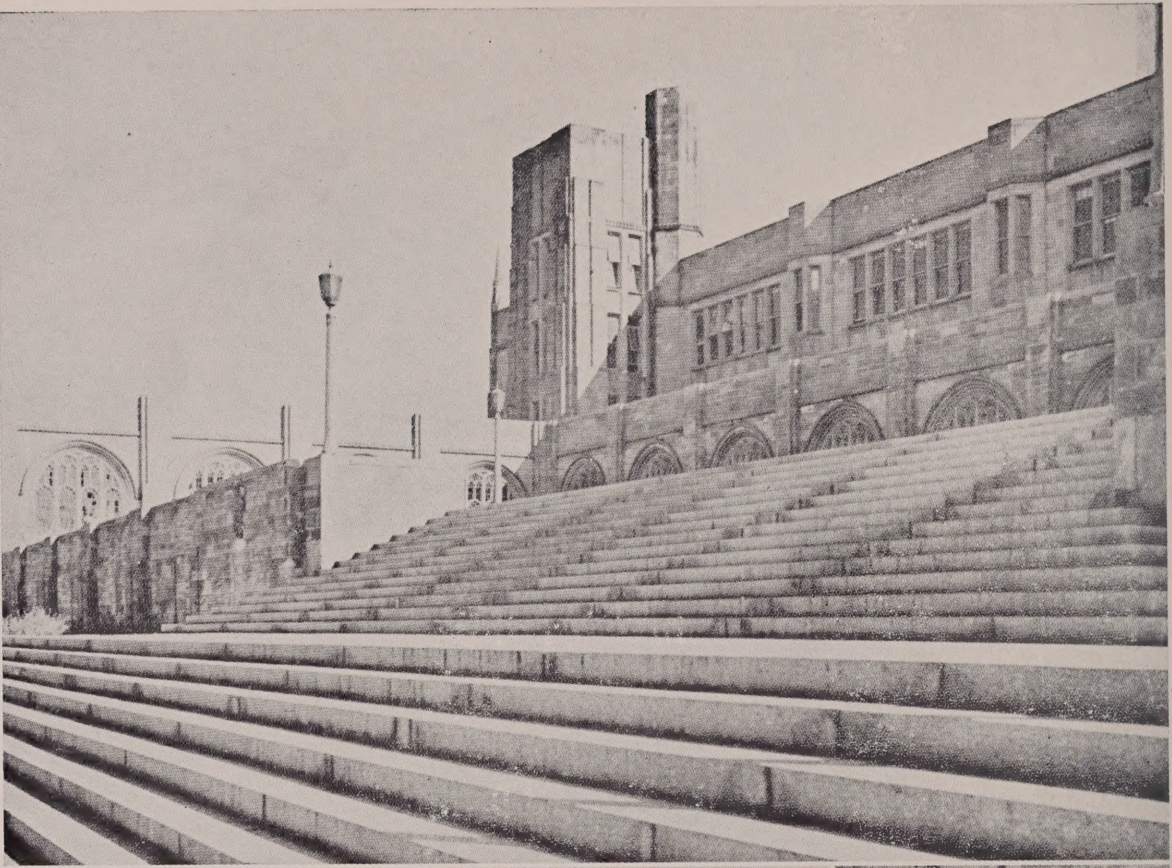

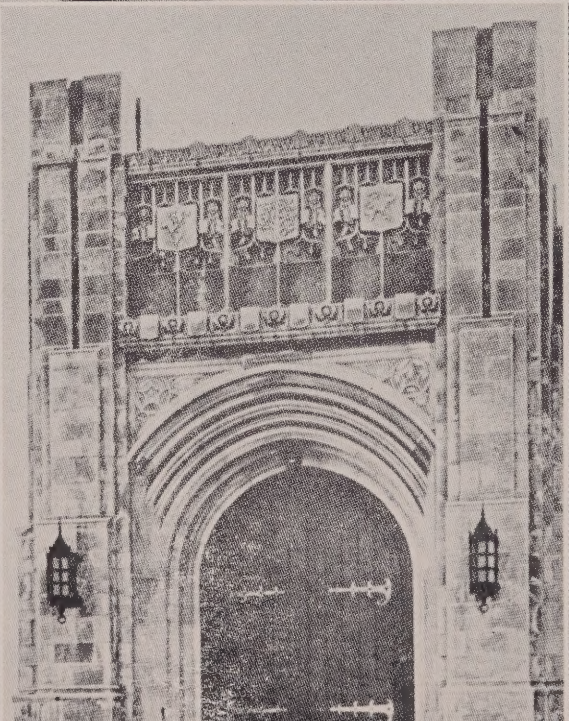
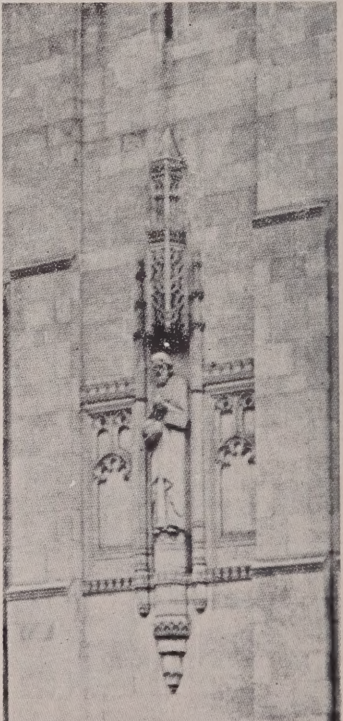

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**Mr. Joseph A. Leary**

Head Master

Joseph A. Leary

# Foreword

*Graduation Day in high school is a definite milestone in your lives. It is indeed a time for appraisal and planning. In retrospect you may survey with pride three years of notable accomplishment in secondary school education. Lacking the ability and perseverance which you possess, many who started out in high school with you have fallen by the wayside.*

*Even more important on Graduation Day is the far-sighted manner in which you envision your objectives in life. If you will face the future with courage and determination to cope with all problems to the best of your ability, your efforts will inevitably produce the desired results.*

*It is the sincere hope of your Head Master that each of you may be blessed abundantly with happiness and success in the years that lie ahead.*

Joseph A. Leary
Head Master

**Seated:** Bernice Auld, Nancy Harris, Mr. Kelliher, Lyle Kaufman, Mr. Leary, Alice O'Connor, Mr. Walsh, Geraldine Dolan, Brenda Barton.

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# Editors' Note

*Fellows Classmates:*

*On behalf of the entire Gothic staff we present with great pleasure and pride the twenty-fifth issue of the Gothic.*

*To you, the members of the Class of 1953, we have attempted to present pictorial and literary material that will prove of interest through the years. We have sought to project, through this volume of the Gothic, lasting and fond memories of our Senior Year.*

*We gratefully acknowledge the efforts of Mr. Walter J. Kelliher, Miss Marion C. Gilman, and Mr. William F. Walsh, who assisted us in compiling and publishing this yearbook.*

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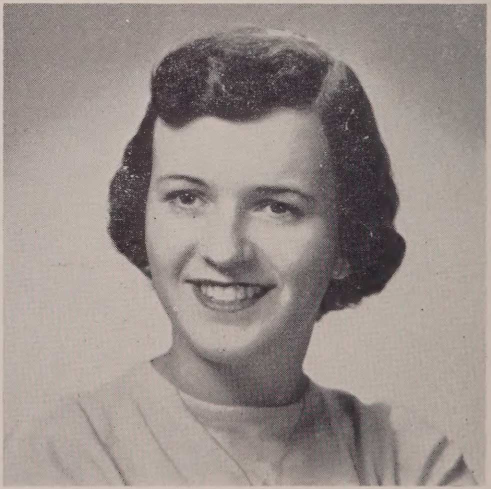

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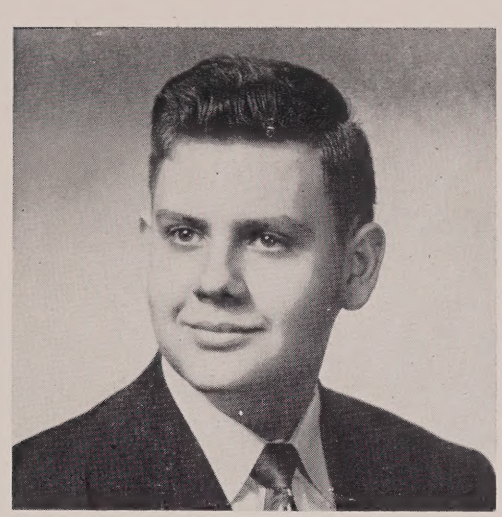

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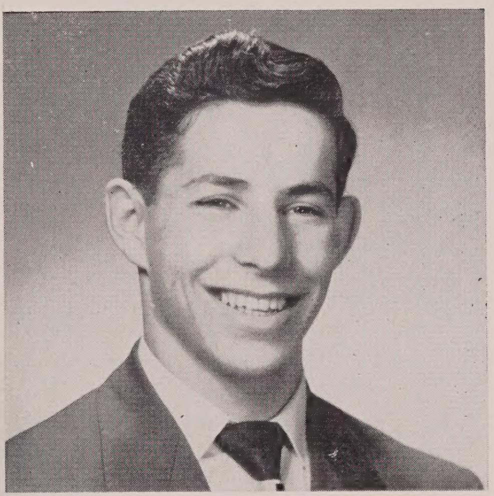

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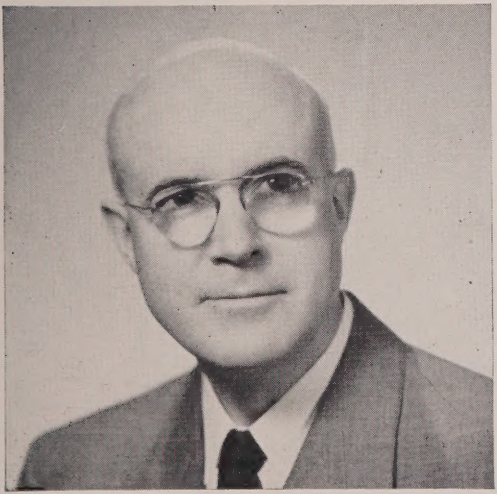

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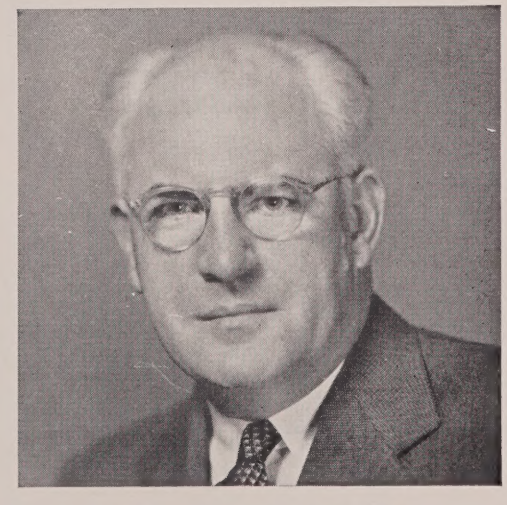

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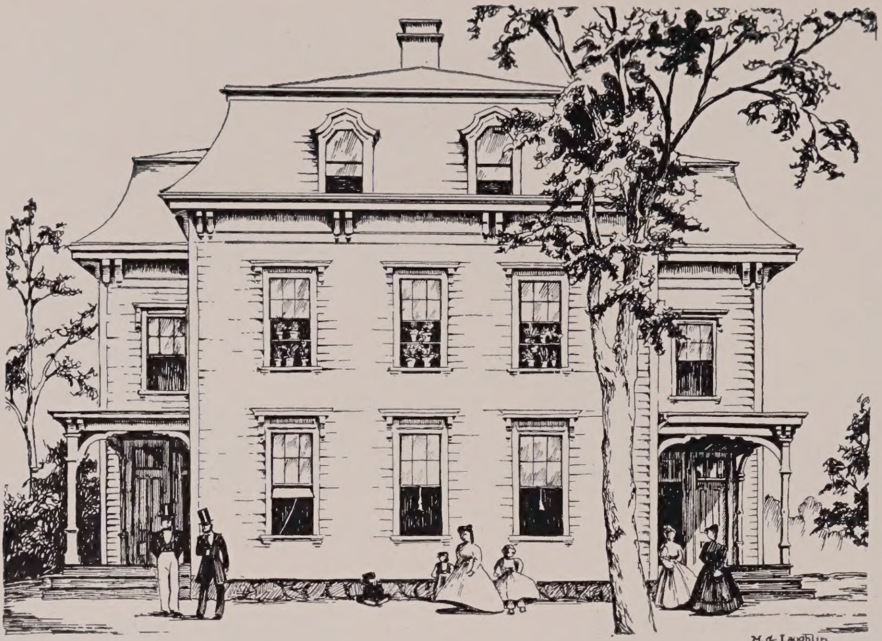


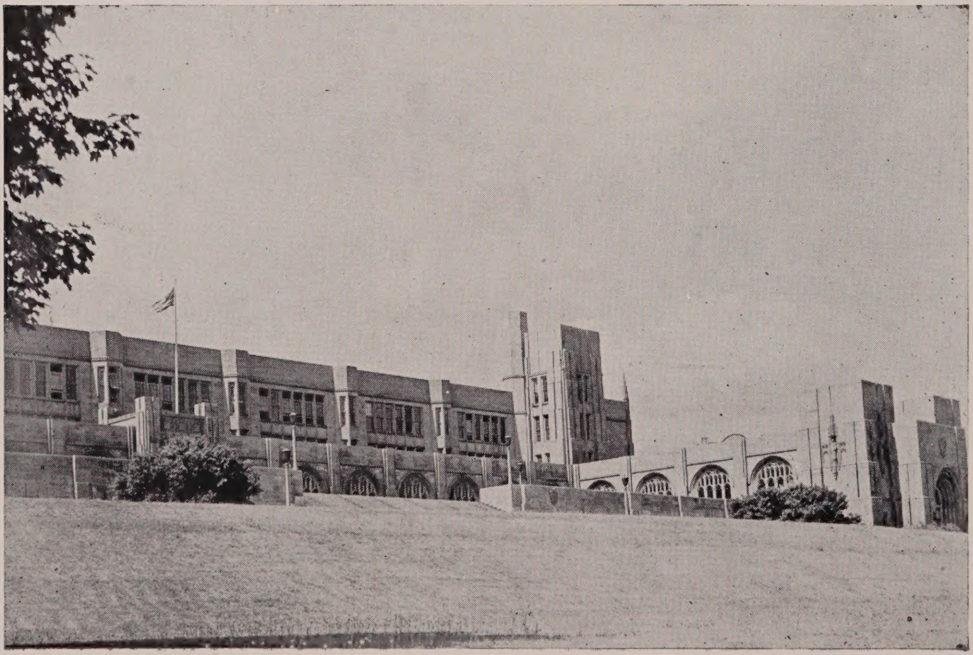
# The First Brighton High School

Early in the year 1841, long before Brighton became a part of Boston, the Brighton High School was established.

The above school was constructed when William H. Harrison had become President and when Andrew Jackson was still living. In addition to this, the Brighton High School was started when neither Florida nor Texas had been admitted into the Union: moreover, the Civil War was to take place twenty yeers hence.

Both in this old school and in the striking structure of our modern buildings, students have gained a high moral background and intellectual training.

We, the students of today, wish to salute the early Brightonians for their part in making the Brighton High School an outstanding center of education.



# A Tribute

After thirty years of faithful service, Miss Mary Maguire, our beloved secretary, tendered her resignation from Brighton High School.

Greatly shall we miss her patient, kindly help, her gracious ways, her cheerful smile. Everybody at Brighton, from the humblest sophomore to the sternest faculty member, turned to Miss Maguire for help. Always, with unfailing courage, she responded to each appeal.

That she may have many years of a well-deserved, peaceful yet stimulating retirement is the ardent desire of her many staunch admirers here at school.

It is with fond appreciation, therefore, that we, the members of the Gothic Staff, dedicate this volume to Miss Mary Maguire.

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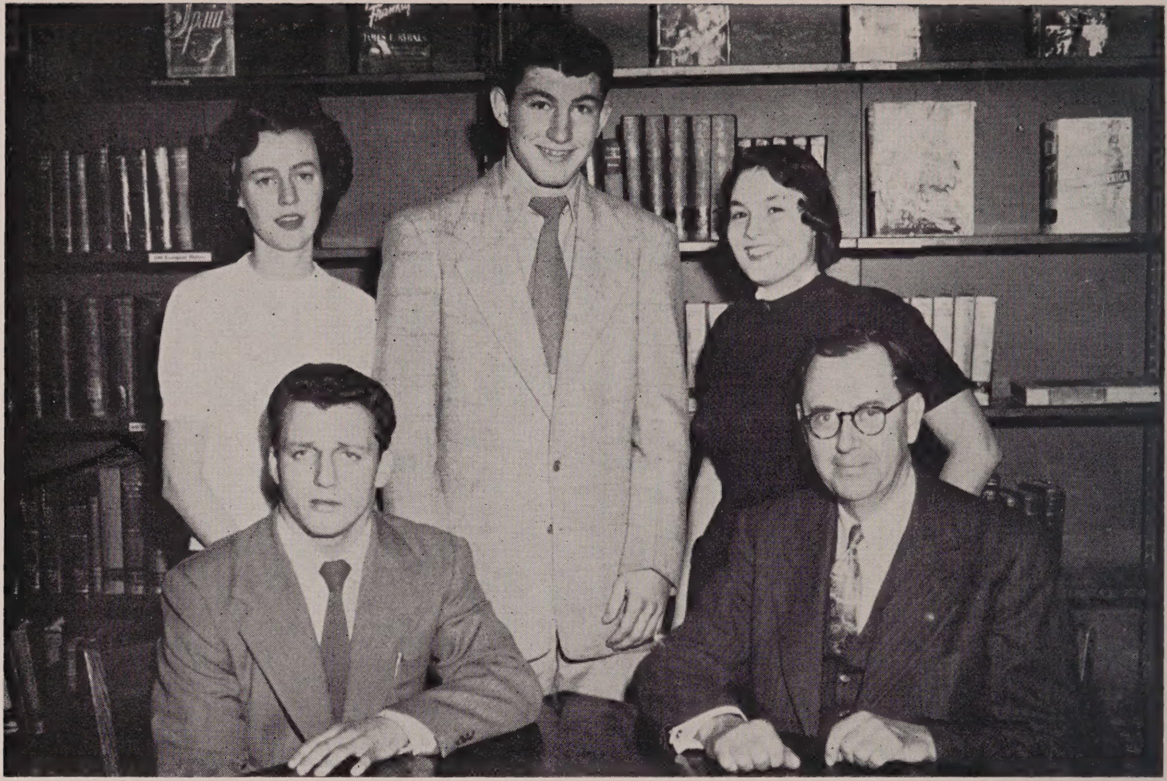

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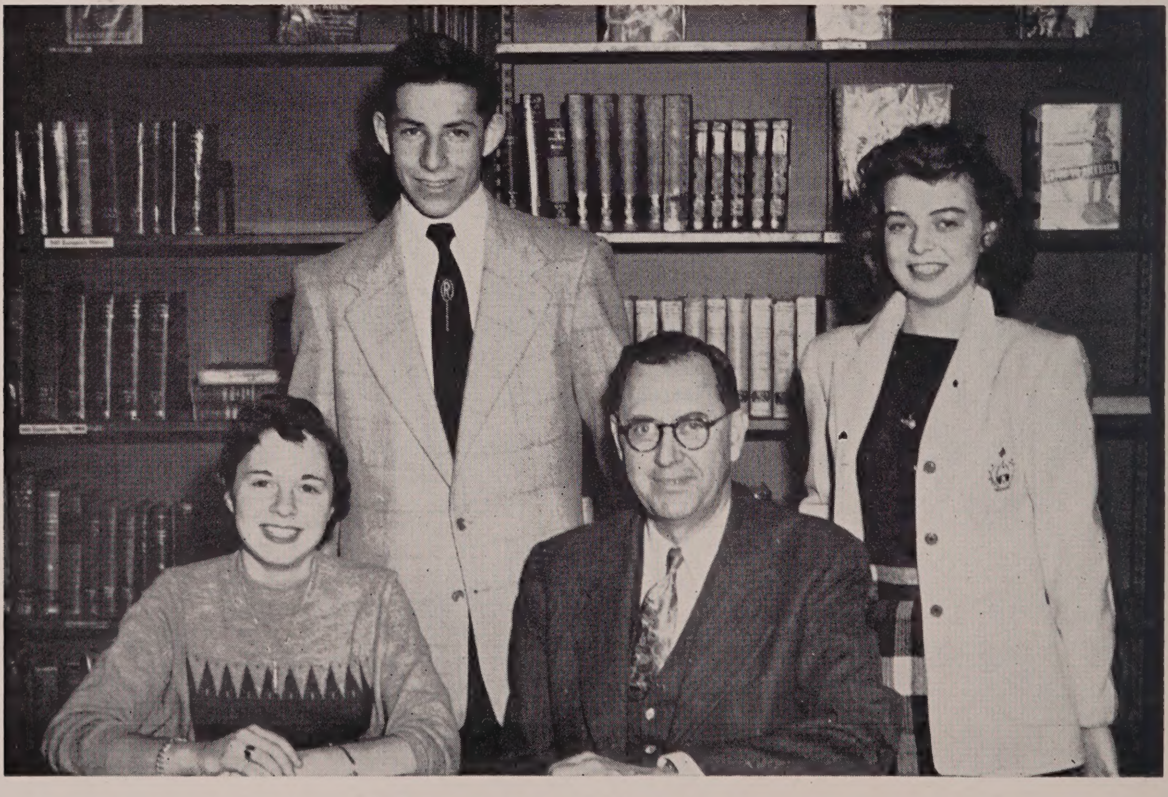

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# President's Message

At this time, after reaching the pinnacle of our high school career, it is our duty to contribute our part to the preservation of our democratic way of life. At this time, on the threshold of our adult life, we shall be faced with many problems. We wonder how we, as high school graduates, can succed. What have we to offer to this world which seems so unstable to us? What can we do to help this world in which we live?

We can help to provide this world with faith, the faith with which our fathers strove and their fathers before them. We must have faith in our form of government; faith in the other peoples of the world; faith that tomorrow will bring us and our children all those things for which the freedom loving peoples of this world continually strive. Even if this faith may be darkened by the presence of a Korean situation or any crisis which the western world will have to meet, we must remain steadfast. With this faith in our world and complete trust in the God who guides it, we cannot help prospering in our undertakings.

We will bring new hope with us into this world, hope which is urgently needed! This hope will be derived from our youth, our idealism, and our courage. It will furnish the strength to reinforce our universe. With this hope, we will show the old world that it has been bright before and it will be bright again regardless of the present circumstances. It is this hope that will see us through to universal peace, and it is this hope that will give our class a bright and glorious beginning.

It will be necessary for us to be a charitable generation. This charity must be great as the need is great. Charity to us means love, that love for our nation, for our neighbor, for our freedoms, that strong love which has helped to bear us through critical times before. Such charity characterizes the American way of life, of which we are so proud. With this deep and abiding love in our hearts, we shall fulfill our rightful heritage.

As we cross this threshold into adult life armed with the three virtues faith, hope, and charity, we shall preserve the strength and goodness of America.

### VIVIAN AARONS

*"Viv"* *College*

Birthplace: Roxbury, February 29, 1936

Ambition: To make my parents proud of me

**Activities: Basketball, Softball, Gothic Staff, Vice-president of French Club**

*"Her paths are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace."*

### ANNE P. ACKERLEY

*"Ack-Ack"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 1, 1935

Ambition: To be a credit to my mother and father

**Activities: Talent Show**

*"And she hath smiles to earth unknown."*

### GLADYS ADAMS

*"Glad"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, November 21, 1935

Ambition: To be a nurse and wife

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Towers Editoral Staff**

*"Always pleasant, to know her is a treat.*
*May success her every effort greet."*

### JACQUELYN D. ADELMAN

*"Jackie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, March 7, 1936

Ambition: To go to Cornell University

**Activities: German Club**

*"A soul that is friendly and a heart that is warm."*

### BEVERLY A. ALBRECHT

*"Bev"* *College*

Birthplace: Somerville, December 22, 1933

Ambition: To be a nurse

*"Thy modesty is a candle for thy merit."*

### ESMAY D. ALLEYNE

*"Dee"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 14, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

*"Not the prize gives the joy,*
*But the striving to win the prize."*

### JANIS A. AMBROSE

*"Jan"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, February 10, 1937

Ambition: To be a success

*"Silence is the most perfect herald of joy."*

### FRANCES G. ANASTOS

*"Fi Fi"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, September 17, 1935

Ambition: To be a hairdresser

**Activities: Swimming Club, Tennis Club, Bowling Club**

*"Rest assured you'll be content*
*When Frances gives you a permanent."*

### ALYCE E. ANNIS

*"Butch"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Chelsea, August 3, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"True to her word, her work, and her friends."*

### ARLENE L. ARSENEAU

*"A" and "Lee"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Cambridge, September 10, 1935

Ambition: To be happily married

**Activities: Glee Club, Talent Show**

*"Fair of hair and sweet of face,*
*With charming and natural grace."*

### LUCILLE M. AUCOIN

*"Lu-Lu"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, February 3, 1934

Ambition: To get married

*"A charming little miss is she,*
*And just as cute as she can be."*

### BERNICE L. AULD

*"Bunny"* *College*

Birthplace: Melrose, December 7, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

**Activities: Gothic Staff**

*"In quietness and confidence will be your strength."*

### MARGARET G. BARDEN

*"Peggy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, May 26, 1935

Ambition: To be an interior decorator

*"Every artist was first an amateur."*

### BRENDA E. BARTON

*"Dagmar"* *College*

Birthplace: Brighton, September 26, 1935

Ambition: To be an actress

**Activities: French Club, Softball, Basketball, Gothic Staff, Bowling, Tennis**

*"So well she acted each and every part."*

### VIRGINIA Y. BELASCO

*"Ginny"* *College*

Birthplace: Cambridge, September 17, 1934

Ambition: To enjoy happiness and success

**Activities: Cheerleader, Bowling**

*"A way that wins her many friends."*

### DOROTHEA M. BENSTOCK

*"Dottie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, February 26, 1936

Ambition: To attend college and be successful

**Activities: French Club, Towers Staff, Glee Club**

*"Mischief sparkles in her eyes,*
*And her laughter never dies."*

### ELAINE J. BERMAN

*"Lanie"* *College*

Birthplace: Hartford, Conn., October 9, 1935

Ambition: To be a nurse

**Activities: French Club, Reading Club, Swimming, Bowling**

*"A gentle disposition wins for itself many friends"*

### BERENICE C. BLOOM

*"Beri"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, November 18, 1935

Ambition: To go to college

**Activities: Reading Club, French Club, Student Council, Gothic Staff**

*"Dancing eyes and smiling face,*
*Combined with poise and quiet grace."*

### JUDITH R. BLOOMBERG

*"Judy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Roxbury, November 3, 1935

Ambition: To go to California or bust

**Activities: French Club, Swimming, Bowling, Glee Club**

*"California, here I come."*

### MARLENE BLOTNER

*"Marl"* *College*

Birthplace: Haverhill, February 22, 1936

Ambition: To graduate from college

**Activities: Reading Club, French Club**

*"What a world of wisdom lies behind her quiet smile."*

### JEANNE M. BLUTEAU

*"Jeannie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, April 30, 1936

Ambition: To be a school teacher

**Activities: Cheerleader, Orchestra, Basketball, Volleyball, Gothic Staff, President of Art Club, Swimming, Gothic Staff**

*"With genteel manners and winsome ways*
*Right into your heart she plays."*

### MARILYN M. BORNSTEIN

*"Mickey"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, March 15, 1935

Ambition: To do continuity for radio and television

**Activities: Bowling, Towers Staff, Student Council**

*"Cheerfulness is the sign of wisdom."*

### ARLENE J. BRINTNALL

*"Rusty"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 3, 1935

Ambition: To get married and be happy

**Activities: Glee Club, Swimming, Music Club**

*"You always know when Rusty's there,*
*By the glow of her lovely auburn hair."*

### BARBARA L. BOGAN

*"Babs"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Cambridge, February 14, 1936

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"Silence is the most perfect herald of joy."*

### JOAN C. BRICKER

*"Joanie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Montgomeryville, Penn., May 13, 1935

Ambition: To be a telephone operator

**Activities: Bowling**

*"For she was just the quiet kind whose nature never varies."*

### SALLY A. BROOKS

*"Sal"* *College*

Birthplace, Concord, July 15, 1935

Ambition: To be a fourth grade teacher

*"Gentle in manner, firm in reality."*

### MARY D. BROWN

*"May"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Somerville, April 13, 1934

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"Well liked by those who know her."*

### ANN S. BURKE

*"Sheila"* *College*

Birthplace: Allston, November 7, 1935

Ambition: To be a credit to my mother and work in the State Department

**Activities: Vice-President of German Club, French Club, Swimming, Basketball, Softball**

*"Her sunny nature wins friendship everywhere."*

### WINIFRED L. BURK

*"Winnie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, March 3, 1935

Ambition: To be a nurse

*"A quiet mind is richer than a crown."*

### RUTH A. BURKE

*"Ruthie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, February 4, 1936

Ambition: To travel

*"A sweet attractive kind of grace."*

## MARILYN A. CLUCK

*"Cluckie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, April 30, 1935

Ambition: To go to college and become a dental hygienist

**Activities: Swimming Club**

*"Friendly as the day is long,*
*Gay and cheeful as a song."*

## ARLINE M. COHEN

*"Arlinee"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, January 30, 1936

Ambition: To be happily married

**Activities: Towers, Reading Club**

*"Arline quietly goes her way,*
*Winning new friends day by day."*

## MARY L. COCUZZO

*"Mimi"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, January 2, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

**Activities: Bowling**

*"Her charms are many,*
*Her faults not any."*

## IDA R. COHEN

*"I"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, December 2, 1935

Ambition: To be a medical secretary

*"Her face shines bright with friendship."*

## CAROLANN COREY

*"Carolita"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Cambridge, January 16, 1936

Ambition: To be a private secretary for a Spanish Importing Co.

*"A miniature of loveliness."*

## MARIE E. COSCIA

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Somerville, March 11, 1935

Ambition: To become a successful secretary

**Activities: Talent Show, Basketball, Bowling, Swimming**

*"To be a secretary she aspires,*
*We hope she gets what she desires."*

## ANN J. CULHANE

*"Cully"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 4, 1935

Ambition: To graduate from college

**Activities: Secretary of the Student Council, Cheerleader, Gothic Staff**

*"She is attractive and sweet,*
*Happy and sincere, a joy to meet."*

## MARIE A. CORRENTE

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, February 13, 1936

Ambition: To become a dress designer or a housewife.

*"With Marie as the designer,*
*The apparel will, of course, be finer.*

## ELIZABETH CROWE

*"Betty"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, September 23, 1935

Ambition: To travel

**Activities: Sports Club**

*"The wonders of each region view,*
*From frozen Lapland to Peru."*

## NORMA A. CUNNINGHAM

*"Norm"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Newton, August 13, 1935

Ambition: To go to secretarial school

**Activities: Bowling**

*"Go and do your best endeavor."*

### NANCY L. DAVIS

*"Peanut"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: New Brunswick, N. J., June 11, 1935

Ambition: To live a useful and happy life.

**Activities: Bowling, Student Council**

*"Happy and light of heart she'll go."*

### LAURETTA A. DAWSON

*"Laurie"* *Comercial*

Birthplace: Boston, February 28, 1936

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"Sweet and neat,*
*She's a pleasure to meet."*

### DOROTHY A. DEAN

*"Dottie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 14, 1935

Ambition: To be a singer

**Activities: Glee Club, Swimming, Talent Show**

*"I do but sing because I must."*

### CAMILLA A. DeLEO

*"Cam"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Medford, March 31, 1934

Ambition: To roll around heaven all day

**Activties: Basketball**

*"A gay little joke makes a dull day bright."*

### DOROTHY C. DEMARKLES

*"Dotty"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, July 29, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

**Activities: Swimming, Bowling**

*"In "Dotty" everyone does see*
*A most delightful personality."*

### JANICE T. DEMERER

*"Jan"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brooklyn, N. Y., December 8, 1934

Ambition: To be a credit to my parents and, of course, to be happily married

*"Friendly as the day is long,*
*Gay and cheerful as a song."*

### ROSE M. DeSALVO

*"Rosie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, August 27, 1935

Ambition: To be happy and successful in whatever I do

*"Here's a girl we all would guess,*
*Will lead a life full of success."*

### MARIE C. DiROCCO

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, January 5, 1936

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"Not very small, not very tall,*
*Nice and sweet, and loved by all."*

### GERALDINE A. DOLAN

*"Gerry"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, July 2, 1936

Ambition: To go to secretarial school and be a success in life

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Towers Staff**

*"Jolly, good-natured, and sweet"*

### M. ELIZABETH DONNELLY

*"Betty"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, August 18, 1935

Ambition: To live in Florida

*"Betty cares not one iota*
*Whether its Miami or Sarasota."*

### PATRICIA J. DONOVAN

*"Pat"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Dorchester, March 15, 1936

Ambition: To be married

*"She may seem quiet, but she's full of fun,*
*The pride and joy of everyone."*

### ARLENE DRISCOLL

*"Drisi"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, January 17, 1936

Ambition: To be a success in all I do

*"She's the girl we call petite.*
*She's also pleasant, pretty, and sweet."*

### LOUISE T. DRISCOLL

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, August 2, 1936

Ambition: To be a dietitian

**Activities: Swimming, Bowling, German Club, Gothic Staff**

*"Everything succeeds with people who are sweet and cheerful."*

### BARBARA A. DuLONG

*"Barbie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, November 15, 1935

Ambition: To join the armed forces and to get married

**Activities: Glee Club, Towers Staff, Talent Show**

*"Barbie is pretty, gay, and sweet.*
*A nicer girl you'll never meet."*

### ARLENE T. DUNN

*"Terry"* *College*

Birthplace: Somerville, June 21, 1936

Ambition: To make my hopes realities

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Swimming, Basketball, Reading Club, Tennis**

*"Hope ever urges on, and tells us tomorrow will be better."*

### SHIRLEY E. ELLSWORTH

*"Shirl"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brewer, Maine, December 23, 1934

Ambition: To go to a junior college and work with the airlines

**Activities: Cheerleader, Vice-President of the Junior Class, Gothic Representative, Tennis Club, Badminton Club, Talent Show, Swimming Club, Student Council**

*"Shirley is always smiling and gay.*
*What'd we do if she weren't that way?"*

### MARJORIE R. EVANS

*"Gerry"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, August 22, 1935

Ambition: To own the Boston Red Sox

**Activities: Softball, Basketball, Towers Staff**

*"Full of the dickens and ready for fun,*
*Talk about pals, she has a million and one."*

### FAITH E. DWYER

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, May 30, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in all I do

*"Nothing is hard to a willing mind."*

### SHIRLEY E. EMERSON

*"Shirl"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, April 14, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

**Activities: Basketball, Tennis, Bowling**

*"A charming little miss is she,*
*Just as nice as she can be."*

### PATRICIA A. FENLON

*"Harry"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 8, 1935

Ambition: Live to enjoy life, and to enjoy the life that I shall live.

**Activities: Student Council, Swimming, Bowling, Basketball, Field Hockey**

*"I love life, and I want to live."*

## MARCIA D. FINKLE

*"Mish"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, September 2, 1935

Ambition: To be a laboratory technician

**Activities: French Club, Reading Club, Gothic Staff**

*"She is quiet, sincere, and true"*

## PATRICIA A. FINN

*"Pat"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 25, 1935

Ambition: To go to college and then be a social worker

**Activities: Towers Staff, Girls' Sports Club, Reading Club**

*"She is loyal of heart, high of purpose, and jolly of spirit."*

## BARBARA A. FOLEY

*"Barbie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Somerville, February 26, 1936

Ambition: To be happily married and to be a successful secretary

**Activities: Towers Staff, Typist, Talent Show, Glee Club**

*"Sweetness of her disposition charms the soul."*

## JANET I. FORBES

*"Jan"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, January 28, 1936

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"Quiet and pleasant always."*

## ELLEN FRIEDBERG

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, May 2, 1935

Ambition: To go to college

**Activities: Reading Club, French Club**

*"With a smile on her lips, a twinkle in her eye."*

## JOYCE A. FRITZ

*"Fritzie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brookline, September 6, 1935

Ambition: To be happily married and to be a credit to my parents

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Talent Show**

*"Always pleasant, smiling, and nice,*
*A girl whom one would look at twice."*

## EMILY M. GATELY

*"Emmy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, June 27, 1935

Ambition: To join the WAVES

**Activities: Bowling, Swimming**

*"She'll sail the ocean blue,*
*And her saucy ship's a beauty."*

## LUCY M. GIBERTI

*"Lou"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, December 22, 1934

Ambition: To be a successful secretary

**Activities: Bowling**

*"Her friendly nature brings many a friend,*
*Always faithful without an end.*

## JEAN F. GILBERT

*College*

Birthplace: Lewiston, Maine, February 27, 1936

Ambition: To be Johnny Ray's manager

*"Words that weep*
*And tears that speak."*

## SHIRLEY R. GRANT

*"Shirl"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Stoneham, September 26, 1935

Ambition: To be a credit to my mother

**Activities: Vice President of the Art Club, Music Club, Bowling**

*"Good things come in small packages."*

### DIANE D. GRINKER

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Dorchester, May 10, 1936

Ambition: To be a fashion designer

**Activities: Art Club**

*"For both madame and mademoiselle*
*She'll design styles that will excel."*

### JOANNE E. HALLERAN

*"Bambie"* *Commercial*

Birthday: Brighton, February 19, 1936

Ambition: To be married

*"Quiet and pleasant always."*

### JANE H. GRUND

*"Janie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, December 7, 1935

Ambition: To be a medical secretary

**Activities: French Club, Towers Staff, Bowling, Tennis**

*"The mildest manners and the gentlest mind."*

### NANCY JOY HARRIS

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, January 14, 1937

Ambition: To live up to my middle-name

**Activities: President of French Club, Reading Club, President of J. A. CO., Student Council, Home Room Reporter, Associate Editor of Gothic, Literary Editor of Towers**

*"Accomplishment is the brightest star."*

### SYLVIA A. HEINSTEIN

*"Skeezix"* *College*

Birthplace, Boston, August 7, 1935

Ambition: To study in Europe and Israel

**Activities: Reading Club, Towers Staff, Basketball, Badminton. Biology Club**

*"She'll travel far and wide*
*Luck and happiness at her side."*

### BARABARA L. HIGGINS

*"Higgy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 12, 1935

Ambition: To be married

*"Higgy's nice pleasant and sweet,*
*The kind of girl it's a pleasure to meet."*

### BESSIE F. JAVARAS

*"Vickie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Delta, Colorado, February 3, 1935

Ambition: To be an airline hostess

**Activities: Bowling Club, Swimming Club**

*"Higher and higher from the earth thou springest."*

### HARRIET S. HERSCH

*"Hershy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 4, 1936

Ambition: To be married

*"To every ounce of work, she adds a pound of fun."*

### PAULINE F. HURLEY

*"Polly"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, June 22, 1935

Ambition: To be a telephone operator and then get married

**Activities: Student Council, Bowling**

*"Pauline's friendship is always worth while.*
*That you can tell by her pleasant smile."*

### PAULETTE E. JOFFE

*College*

Birthplace: Newton, March 18, 1936

**Activities: Reading Club, Glee Club, Towers Staff, French Club**

*"Her art is making friends wherever she may go."*

### ALICE A. JOHNSON

*"Champ"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, September 23, 1934

Ambition: To become a music teacher

**Activities: Public School Symphony Orchestra, Glee Club, Secretary - Treasurer of Brighton H. S. Orchestra**

*"Music is the poetry of the air."*

### CONSTANCE E. JOYCE

*"Connie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, February 17, 1936

Ambition: To be an airline stewardess

*"Happy are they we must confess*
*On the plane where Connie's stewardess."*

### MARILYN M. KASSATLY

*"Linny"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 10, 1936

Ambition: To be a successful secretary and happily married

**Activities: Swimming, Towers Staff**

*"Just as good natured as can be,*
*With a winning smile for all to see."*

### MARGARET T. KEAN

*"Peggy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Arlington, August 21, 1934

Ambition: To be a secretary and get married

*"She is sure to realize her ambition."*

### PATRICIA A. KILLEEN

*"Pat"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Natick, November 22, 1934

Ambition: To be a typist and get married

*"A peppy lass we all agree,*
*And just as cute as she can be."*

### MARCIA KRAMER

*"Marsh"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, September 20, 1935

Ambition: To be a kindergarten teacher and then to be married

**Activities: French Club, Spanish Club**

*"Diffused knowledge immortalizes itself."*

### MYRNA J. KRONER

*"Myrn"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, August 30, 1935

Ambition: To live in Montreal

**Activities: Bowling, Tennis, French Club, Glee Club**

*"Her face shines bright with friendship."*

### LILY M. KRUCKOVS

*"Lil"* *College*

Birthplace: Riga, Latvia, May 31, 1934

Ambition: To be an actress

*"The play's the thing."*

### IRMA LAMPERT

*"Irmie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, July 5, 1935

Ambition: To become a secretary

*"A winning way, a pleasant smile."*

### MARY A. LEONE

*"Mare"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, September 6, 1935

Ambition: To be a credit to my mother and father and to be successful in everything I attempt to do

**Activities: Vice-President of Glee Club**

*"Music is well said to be the speech of the angels"*

### SHIRLEY M. LESUEUR

*"Angel"* *College*

Birthplace: Toledo, Ohio, April 22, 1935

Ambition: To become a dietitian

**Activities: Basketball, Squashball**

*"If Shirley you ever hope to please,*
*Count the number of calories."*

### BARBARA A. LOMBARDI

*"Lum"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, January 6, 1936

Ambition: To travel around the world

**Activities: Treasurer of the Junior Class**

*"Full of pep, full of fun,*
*A good friend to everyone."*

### LOIS A. LOMASNEY

*"Loey"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, April 5, 1935

Ambition: To be in the W. A. F.

**Activities: Glee Club**

*"A pleasant person, charming and kind,*
*In her a lasting friend you'll find."*

### RUTH L. LUFF

*"Ruthie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, June 17, 1935

Ambition: To be a credit to my parents

**Activities: Softball, Basketball, Bowling**

*"Ruthie is one girl that's hard to beat.*
*She's honest, pleasant, pretty, and sweet."*

### KATHERINE M. MacDONALD

*"Kathie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Allston, March 11, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: Tennis, Badminton**

*"Full of the dickens and ready for fun,*
*Talk about pals, I'll say she's one."*

### MARY L. MAGUIRE

*"Mary Lou"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, September 24, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in whatever I do

**Activities: Gothic Representative, Student Council**

*"Success treads on the heels of every effort."*

### FAITH W. McCRUM

*"Penny"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, October 22, 1935

Ambition: To be a medical secretary

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Towers Staff**

*"A frank and smiling face,*
*A sensible and quiet grace."*

### MARY J. MADDEN

*"Jo"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, May 12, 1934

Ambition: To work for the New England Telephone Company

*"It is a friendly smile that wins many friends."*

### BEVERLY A. MAHONEY

*"Bev"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, January 21, 1936

Ambition: To be an accomplished pianist

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Towers Staff, French Club**

*"Your troubles cease, your heart's at ease*
*When Beverly's playing at the keys."*

### ANN C. McINNIS

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, April 2, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in whatever I may do

**Activities: Swimming, Talent Show, Softball**

*"An earnest desire to succeed is always prognostic of success."*

### JOAN M. McVEY

*"Joanie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Roxbury, October 4, 1935

Ambition: To be a credit to my mother and father

**Activities: Captain of Cheerleaders, Student Council, Bowling, Swimming**

*"She's full of fun and mischief too.*
*She's always up to something new."*

### SANDRA E. MERRITT

*"Sandy"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, June 7, 1935

Ambition: To be a commercial artist

**Activities: French Club, Art Club, Reading Club, Towers Staff**

*"In framing an artist, art hath thus decreed.*
*To make some good, but others to exceed."*

### SANDRA R. MILLER

*"Sandy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 31, 1935

Ambition: To be successful in whatever I endeavor

**Activities: Bowling, Gothic Staff, Talent Show**

*"Her quiet dignity and simple way*
*Win admiration for her every day."*

### HELEN B. MISSEL

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, February 11, 1936

Ambition: To make my parents proud of me

**Activities: Treasurer of French Club, Reading Club, Girls' Sports Club, Gothic Staff**

*"A girl who quietly goes her way,*
*Winning new friends every day*

### MARION MOSKOS

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 16, 1935

Ambition: To be like my mother and marry a man like my father

**Activities: Tennis, Bowling, Swimming, Basketball, Softball**

*"May success attend her every endeavor."*

### HELEN M. MURPHY

*"Murph"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Allston, November 25, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

*"Success is often contingent upon knowing how long it will take to succeed."*

### SHIRLEY A. MUSCATO

*"Shirl"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Concord, Mass., January 6, 1935

Ambition: To be a telephone operator

*"Silence is the most perfect herald of joy."*

### JEAN A. MYSHRALL

*"Mish"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, February 13, 1936

Ambition: To live in Houston, Texas

*"Not very tall, not very small,*
*But sweet, pretty, and loved by all."*

### MARCIA E. NELSON

*"Ginger"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, January 12, 1936

Ambition: To find a good job

**Activities: Glee Club**

*"Success treads on the heels of every effort "*

### ARLENE J. NILSSON

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, July 4, 1935

Ambition: To be an airline stewardess

**Activities: Tennis Club, Student Council, Reading Club, Towers Staff**

*"Green calm below, blue quietness above."*

### ALICE L. O'CONNOR

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, December 27, 1935

Ambition: To study medicine

**Activities: Co-Editor of Gothic, Towers Staff, Cheerleader, Reading Club, French Club, Student Council**

*"Brains, personality, and pep,*
*To keep up with Alice, you'll have to step."*

### BARBARA C. OLANSKY

*"Precious"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 19, 1935

Ambition: To make my parents proud of all I do

**Activities: Reading Club, French Club, Girls' Sports Club, Gothic Staff**

*"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."*

### BARBARA A. O'DONNELL

*"Barb"* *College*

Birthplace: Dorchester, July 14, 1935

**Activities: President of Reading Club, French Club, Swimming, Towers Staff, Gothic Staff**

*"In quietness and confidence will be your strength."*

### RITA V. PAGLIOCCA

*"Peaches"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, July 18, 1935

Ambition: To get married and be a dressmaker

**Activities: Student Council**

*"Mischief laughs in her eyes.*
*But, she's like an angel in disguise."*

### ANN M. PELLEGRINI

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, September 25, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: Talent Show, Swimming, Softball**

*"With charming mien and smile so shy."*

### ERNESTINE M. PESCIONE

*"Chicky"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, September 29, 1934

Ambition: To attend a junior college and become a success in whatever I attempt

**Activities: Basketball, Swimming, Talent Show, Tennis, Badminton**

*"Charming to everyone, pleasant and true."*

### BARBARA L. RETTIE

*"Barbie"* *College*

Birthplace: Somerville, July 7, 1935

Ambition: To be a nurse

**Activities: Editor of Towers, Reading Club, Spanish Club, Gothic Staff**

*"To those who know her not, no words can paint.*
*To those who know her well, words are faint."*

### MARY J. PERKINS

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Nashua, N. H., April 13, 1935

Ambition: To travel and be happily married

**Activities: Towers Staff**

*"Always giving a helping hand.*
*That lovely sweet silence at command."*

### SHIRLEY ANN PRUNEAU

*"Honey"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, August 13, 1935

Ambition: To have a successful marriage and skating career.

*"A girl whose smile is delightful."*

### DORIS A. RISEMAN

*"Dori"* *College*

Birthplace: Everett, April 1, 1935

Ambition: To be a credit to my parents

**Activities: Program Chairman of German Club, Swimming, Bowling, Art Club, Towers Staff**

*"Ambition knows no rest."*

### MARY A. ROBERTS

*"Robbie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, October 26, 1935

Ambition: To be a successful nurse

**Activities: Cheerleader, Towers Staff, Basketball, Tennis, Reading Club, Gothic Staff**

*"May your heart's desire be with you"*

### JOSEPHINE E. RUFO

*"Jo-Jo"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, August 19, 1934

Ambition: To be as wonderful as my mother

*"Small, petite, sweet and gay,*
*May good things always go her way."*

### EDITH C. RYAN

*"Edie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Allston, March 4, 1935

Ambition: To be happily married

**Activities: Swimming, Bowling, Basketball**

*"We all hope "Edie" will live to be*
*The ripe old age of one hundred and three."*

### CHARLENE E. SACK

*"Shine"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, November 13, 1934

Ambition: To become an airline hostess.

**Activities: Towers Staff, Gothic Staff, Reading Club, Spanish Club**

*"She is sure to realize her ambition."*

### MARCIA N. SACKS

*"Marty"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, July 24, 1935

Ambition: To join the WAVES and see the world

*"Let the air with joy be laden.*
*Ring the merry bells on board ship."*

### RITA A. SALVUCCI

*"Sal"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, November 29, 1935

Ambition: To be a successful bookkeeper

**Activities: Gothic Staff**

*"Her charms are many.*
*Her faults aren't any."*

### JOAN SARGENT

*"Joanie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Malden, April 3, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

**Activities: Towers Typist**

*"A way that wins her many friends."*

### DOLORES M. SCARDINO

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, September 25, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

*"It is a friendly heart that has many friends."*

### BLOSSOM R. SCHWARTZ

*"Blos"* *College*

Birthplace: Brighton, December 17, 1935

Ambition: To succed in everything I attempt

**Activities: French Club, Tennis, Badminton**

*"A good nature is the fruit of personality."*

### ALICE M. SHEEHAN

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, September 5, 1935

Ambition: To be a beautician or a model

**Activities: Talent Show**

*"Friendly as the day is long,*
*Gay and cheerful as a song."*

### JOAN F. SIDLOWSKI

*"Siggy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, May 29, 1935

Ambition: To be a successful social worker and be a credit to my mother and father

**Activities: Representative for Gothic, Cheerleader, B. H. S. Representative Red Cross, Representative Talent Show, Representative Student Council**

*"Friendship, laughter, smiles that gleam,*
*Every inch of her, a beautiful queen."*

### SHEILA S. SILVERMAN

*"She-She"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Malden, August 4, 1935

Ambition: To be a medical secretary

**Activities: Bowling**

*"A frank and smiling face,*
*A sensible and quiet grace."*

### ELEANOR M. SILK

*"Ellie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, March 25, 1936

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: French Club, Swimming, Field Hockey, Tennis, Gothic Staff, Business Promoter J. A. Co.**

*"A smile for every friend,*
*A friend for every smile."*

### MARIE F. SMITH

*Commercial*

Birthplace: New York, October 30, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary or join the WAVES

**Activities: Bowling**

*"An abundance of friendliness,*
*Is enclosed in her shyness."*

### PAULINA S. SMITH

*"Nina"* *College*

Birthplace: Cambridge, February 16, 1936

Ambition: To be a concert pianist

**Activities: French Club, Towers, Home Room Reporter, Towers Staff, J. A. Co., Treasurer, Swimming, Glee Club, Gothic Staff**

*"Music is the universal language of mankind."*

### ANNE M. SPINA

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, November 19, 1935

Ambition: To be a world known fashion designer

**Activities: Cheerleader, Gothic Staff, Towers Staff**

*"Her pencil is striking, resistless, and grand."*

### PATRICIA L. TAVOLIERI

*"Pat"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, June 15, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

*"Quiet and pleasant always."*

### ANNE R. SPENCER

*"Annie"* *College*

Birthplace: Orlando, Florida, June 25, 1935

Ambition: To be a linguist

**Activities: German Club**

*"Languages are no more than the keys of sciences. He who despises one slights the other."*

### MILDRED H. SUTTHERY

*"Mimi"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 4, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

**Activities: Reading Club**

*"To be a secretary Mimi aspires.*
*We hope she gets what she desires."*

### PAULINE M. TAYLOR

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Somerville, November 27, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in life

**Activities: Glee Club, Talent Show**

*"Not very tall, not very small,*
*But sweet and pretty and loved by all."*

### HELEN M. TEMPESTA

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, April 4, 1935

Ambition: To be a physiotherapist

**Activities: Bowling, Basketball, Towers Staff, Reading Club**

*"Her friendly nature brings her friends."*

### ANNA M. THEODORE

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, January 27, 1936

Ambition: To be a secretary

**Activities: Talent Show**

*"Mischief sparkles in her eyes,*
*And her laughter never dies."*

### AUDREY E. THOMAS

*"Audie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, March 13, 1936

Ambition: To attend Massachusetts State in order to prepare for nursing and to travel all over the world

**Activities: Reading Club, Towers Staff, Glee Club, Swimming, Tennis**

*"Her air is modest, so simple and sweet."*

### ROSALIE THOMAS

*"Rosie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, May 7, 1936

Ambition: To be a famous modern dancer

**Activities: Basketball, Badminton**

*"We're sure we have in Rosalie*
*A rival for Terpsichore."*

### PATRICIA A. TILTON

*"Pat"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Skowhegan, Maine February 28, 1935

Ambition: To be an airline hostess and to be happily married

**Activities: Swimming**

*"She has hair of raven black.*
*No good feature does she lack."*

### MARILYN R. TRENT

*"Bubsie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 23, 1935

Ambition: To be as successful in married life as my mother is

**Activities: Basketball, Volleyball, Swimming, Badminton, Tennis**

*"A mischievous lass we all agree,*
*And a pleasant lass for all to see."*

### CONSTANCE E. TRESKA

*"Connie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 19, 1935

Ambition: To be healthy, wealthy, and wise

*"Always happy never blue,*
*Honest. witty, good and true."*

### GEORGETTE A. TURK

*"Gigi"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Allston, April 10, 1935

Ambition: To have a good life

**Activities: President of Student Council, Cheerleader**

*"Happiness seems made to be shared"*

### JUNE C. VALENTE

*"Nikki"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Somerville, June 6, 1935

Ambition: To illustrate children's books

**Activities: Badminton, Tennis, Field Hockey, Bowling**

*"Her skill's a joy to everyone."*

### ROSEMARIE A. VATALARO

*"Rosie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Allston, September 1, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"Mischief sparkles in her eyes,*
*And her laughter never dies."*

### BARBARA A. WALSH

*"Barb"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, May 15, 1934

Ambition: To be a credit to my parents

**Activities: Swimming, Glee Club, Talent Show**

*"A frank and smiling face,*
*A sensible and quiet grace."*

### HENRIETTA D. WIENCK

*"Honey"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, May 31, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in life

**Activities: Student Council**

*"Her eyes are blue. Her hair is gold.*
*Her charm is a story that has never been told."*

### CAROL J. WOOLFSON

*College*

Birthplace: Boston, December 1, 1935

Ambition: To lead a happy life

**Activities: Swimming, Basketball, French Club, Volleyball**

*"Happiness seems made to be shared."*

### BEVERLY C. YARKIN

*"Bev"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, October 16, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in life

**Activities: French Club, Basketball, Tennis, Bowling**

*"To climb steep hills requires slow pace at first."*

### NATALIE ZIMBONI

*"Nat"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, April 13, 1936

Ambition: To be as happy and successful as possible

*"Gay, lovely and serene,*
*"Nat" reminds us of a queen."*

### LOIS BURKE

*"Loi"* *College*

Birthplace: Milton, October 6, 1934

Ambition: To be a nurse

**Activities: Tennis, Glee Club**

*"God gave her power to sooth and bless*
*With the calm sstrength of gentleness."*

### ELEANOR GREENBERG

*"Ellie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace Boston, February 12, 1935

Ambition: To go to a secretarial school and to be successful in whatever I endeavor

**Activities: Tennis Club, Glee Club**

*"Success, remember, is the reward of toil."*

### HARRIET J. KATZ

*"Harri"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, March 23, 1935

Ambition: To be a secretary

*"For she was just the quiet kind,*
*whose nature never varies."*

### JOAN A. CIOPPA

*"Joany"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, September 17, 1935

Ambition: To be a receptionist

*"Her wise, rare smile is sweet with certainties."*

### MAXINE B. GREENBLATT

*"Mickey"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, October 27, 1934

Ambition: To see the world

*"The use of traveling is to regulate imagination by reality."*

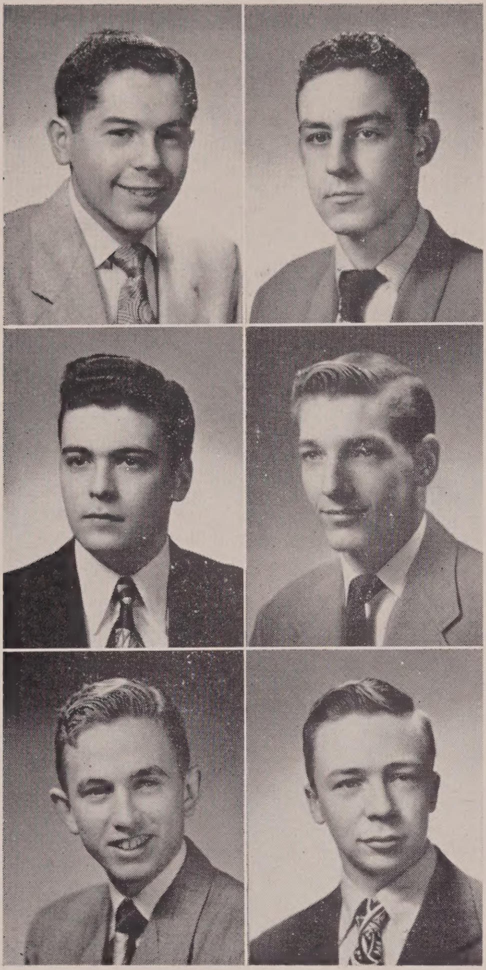
### PATRICIA A. WALKER

*"Angel"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, April 16, 1935

Ambition: To be a doctor

*"Determined, she is sure to succeed."*



### SUMNER M. ABRAMS

*"Sonny"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, November 11, 1935

Ambition: To be an electronics engineer

**Activities: Key Club, Radio Club, Drum and Bugle Corps**

*"Few things are impossible to diligence and skill."*

### JOHN J. AIELLO

*"Johnny"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Brighton, May 12, 1935

Ambition: To be a successful auto mechanic

*"May your ambition be fulfilled."*

### CARL M. BALANOFF

*"Charlie"* *College*

Birthplace: Arlington, March 23, 1936

Ambition: To be an automotive engineer

*"He'll follow a most successful career*
*As an automotive engineer."*

### WILLIAM J. BLACKSHAW

*"Puddenhead"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, February 6, 1934

Ambition: To be a pro ballplayer

**Activities: Baseball**

*"When Blackshaw strides up to the plate,*
*He seals the hapless pitcher's fate."*

### ROBERT T. BOWEN

*"Bob"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, August 10, 1935

Ambition: To enjoy myself! It's later than I think

**Activities: Baseball, Track**

*"A great sport we all agree,*
*With a fine personality"*

### PAUL F. BOYNS

*"Lu"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, June 9, 1935

Ambition: To become an engineer

*"Perseverance means success."*

### CHARLES J. BRASCH

*"Chuck"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Lawrence, August 13, 1934

Ambition: To be a manager of a super market

*"Quietness is best."*

### FREDERICK W. BRODIN

*"Fred"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Allston, July 14, 1935

Ambition: To do business work

**Activities: Baseball, Football**

*"Not that he loves study less but that he loves fun more."*

### RONALD A. BROWALL

*"Ronnie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, February 2, 1936

Ambition: To be a hardware salesman

*"A winning way, a pleasant smile makes his friendship most-worthwhile."*

### JOHN E. BROWN

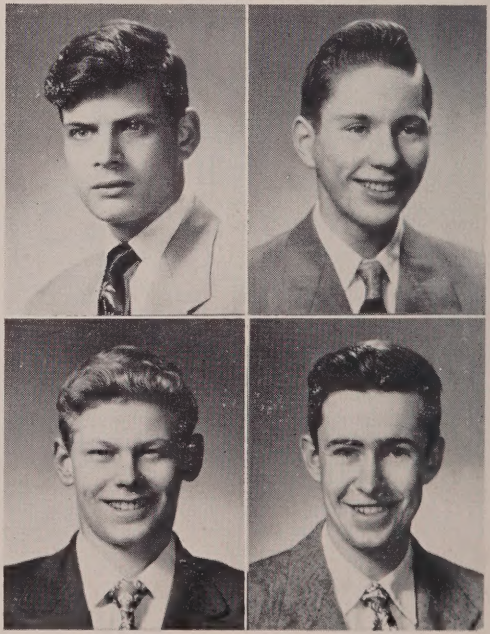
*"Brownie"* *College*

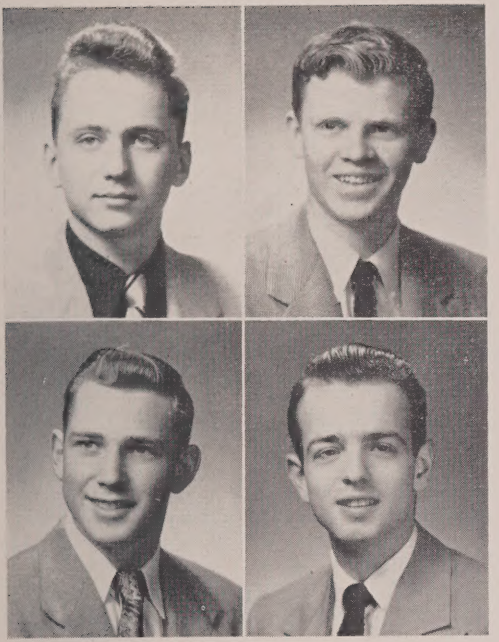
Birthplace: Brighton, April 22, 1934

Ambition: To graduate

**Activities: Key Club**

*"Brownie" is sure to find the key*
*That opens the door to victory."*





### WILLIAM M. BUCELEWICZ

*"Bill"* *College*

Birthplace: Brighton, July 18, 1935

Ambition: To join the Air Force

**Activities: Baseball**

*"Flying hither, flying thither,*
*He'll always know why or whither."*

### JOHN BUCKLEY

*"Buck"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, August 23, 1935

Ambition: To go to Annapolis

**Activities: Captain of Basketball Team, President of Class, Vice-President of Key Club, Student Council, Towers Staff, Gothic Staff**

*"He'll be never known to quail*
*At the fury of the gale."*

### WILLIAM E. CARROLL

*"Bill"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Cambridge, February 6, 1936

Ambition: To live

**Activities: Track, Football**

*"The longer one lives, the more he learns."*

### POMPEI CEDRONE

*"Sid"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Brighton, August 17, 1934

Ambition: To be a top man in my field

**Activities: Hockey**

*"The higher you aim, the more likely you are to succeed.*

### CHARLES A. COCOTAS

*"Coke"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, September 18, 1935

Ambition: To become a dentist

*"With skill, we think you'll all agree,*
*He'll practice painless dentistry."*

### LAWRENCE H. L. COFFIN

*"Larry"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, March 7, 1935

Ambition: To be an airplane mechanic

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"He that has patience may compass anything."*

### MICHAEL S. COHEN

*"Mike"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, March 7, 1936

Ambition: To be a commercial artist

**Activities: Scholarship Class at Museum of Fine Arts**

*"But art, O man, is thine alone."*

### STEVENS P. CONNOLLY

*"Steve Jr."* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, May 21, 1935

Ambition: To live happily

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Happy is he who smiles as he goes through life."*

### WILLIAM S. COOPER

*"Willy"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Portchester, N. Y., January 28, 1935

Ambition: To own Hampton Beach

*"Merry and carefree, he wends his way."*

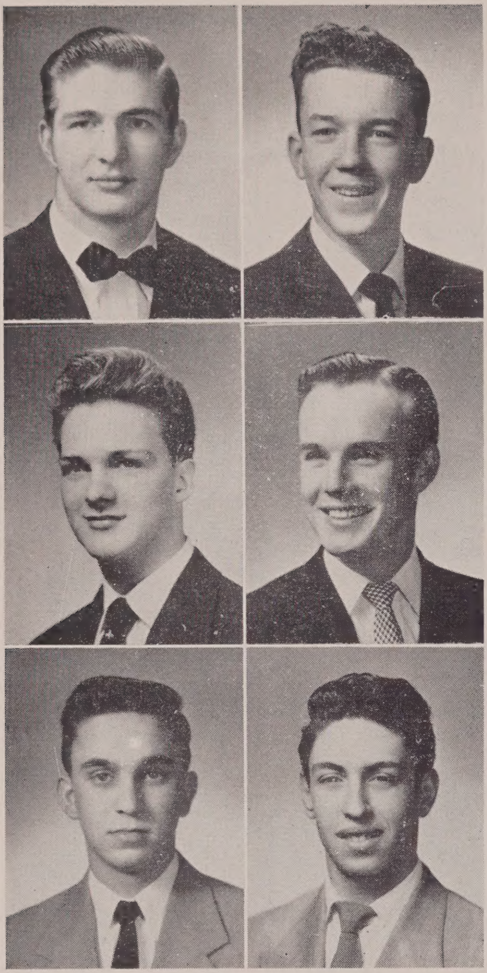
### JOHN J. CRONIN

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, April 23, 1935

Ambition: To join the Navy

*"When the breezes blow*
*He'll never, never go below."*



### GEORGE CUKER

*"Muscles"* *College*

Birthplace: Poland, July 24, 1934

Ambition: To be a mechanical engineer

**Activities: Towers Staff**

*"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."*

### GEORGE F. CULLEN

*"George"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Somerville, November 6, 1934

Ambition: To be an auto mechanic

*"The fruit derived from labor is the sweetest of pleasures."*

### JAMES DAMERY

*"Jimmy"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Roxbury, July 26, 1935

Ambition: To make a lot of money and live an easy life

*"Now have I done a good day's work."*

### ROBERT H. DAVIS

*"Count"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, August 22, 1934

Ambition: To become the owner of "Pontiac Village"

**Activities: Track, Football**

*"Self-confidence is a wonderful asset."*

### PAUL DeMATTEO

*"Pablo"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 1, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: Basketball**

*"Jesters do often prove prophets."*

### ENRICO A. DeSIMONE

*"DeSi"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: East Boston, April 4, 1935

Ambition: To make $999,999.99 because I have 1 cent

**Activities: Baseball, Track**

*"Joking and humor are pleasant and often of extreme utility."*

### ANTHONY L. DiLORENZO

*"Dee"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, October 20, 1934

Ambition: To make a million dollars

**Activities: Baseball, Track**

*"He is rich who is contented."*

### JOHN P. DiROCCO

*"The Rock"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, September 13, 1935

Ambition: To live long enough to enjoy it—money

**Activities: Football**

*"Money is a good servant, but a bad master."*

### FRED E. DUKE

*"Duke"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, February 7, 1936

Ambition: To go to college

**Activities: Band**

*"Knowledge comes of learning well retained, unfruitful else."*

### RICHARD P. DUWAN

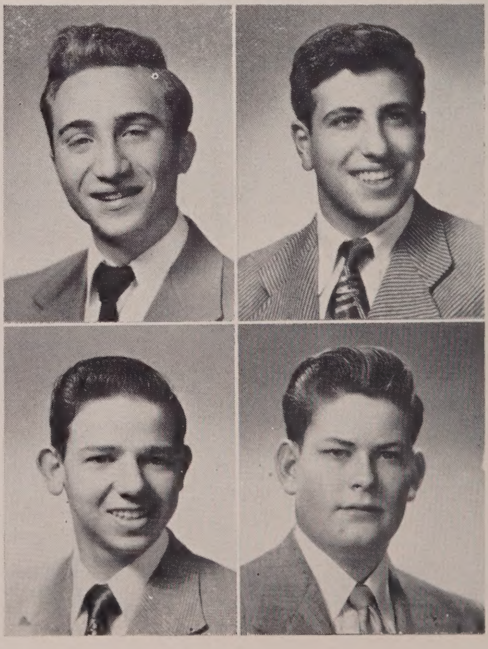
*"Rich"* *College*

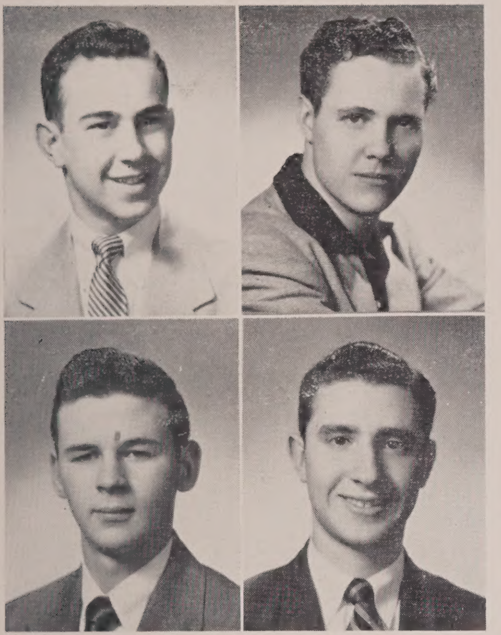
Birthplace: Danvers, February 19, 1936

Ambition: To be a teacher

**Activities: President of German Club**

*"Not only is there an art in knowing a thing,
But also a certain art in teaching it."*





### JOHN R. ELDRIDGE

*"Johnny"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Medford, February 7, 1936

Ambition: To be a pilot in the U. S. Air Force

**Activities: Football**

*"The higher you aim, the more likely you are to succeed."*

### THOMAS H. EVANS

*"Tom"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, July 17, 1934

Ambition: To graduate

**Activities: Football, Track**

*"We hereby do asseverate,*
*That Tom will surely graduate."*

### WILLIAM W. FALWELL

*"Billy"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, February 26, 1936

Ambition: To see the world

**Activities: Baseball, Football**

*"Travel, in the younger sort, is a part of education."*

### ALFRED S. FINKELSTEIN

*"Sid"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 30, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in life

**Activities: Drum and Bugle Corps, Football**

*"He that climbs the tall tree has won the right to the fruit."*

### LESTER C. FLEISHMAN

*"Les", "Flash"* *College*

Birthplace: Lynn, June 29, 1935

Ambition: To be a concert pianist, arranger, composer, conductor, and have own band or orchestra

**Activities: Accompanist for school assemblies, Soloist for assemblies Soloist for Talent Show, Orchestra**

*"Music is well said to be the speech of angels."*

### DONALD F. FLINT

*"Don"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Dorchester, January 13, 1935

Ambition: To go to college

**Activities: Baseball**

*"May joy and success attend you."*

### DAVID M. GELSOMINI

*"Dave"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, August 3, 1935.

Ambition: To get married and raise a basketball team

**Activities: Basketball**

*"The house of everyone is to him as his castle and fortress."*

### RICHARD G. GLADU

*"Rudy"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, December 2, 1935

Ambition: To see the world

**Activities: Football, Hockey, Baseball, Key Club, Student Council**

*"The wander thirst is on me."*

### JERALD P. GRANOFF

*"Jerry"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, October 3, 1935

Ambition: To be an electrical engineer

*"Success lies in labor."*

### PAUL C. GROARK

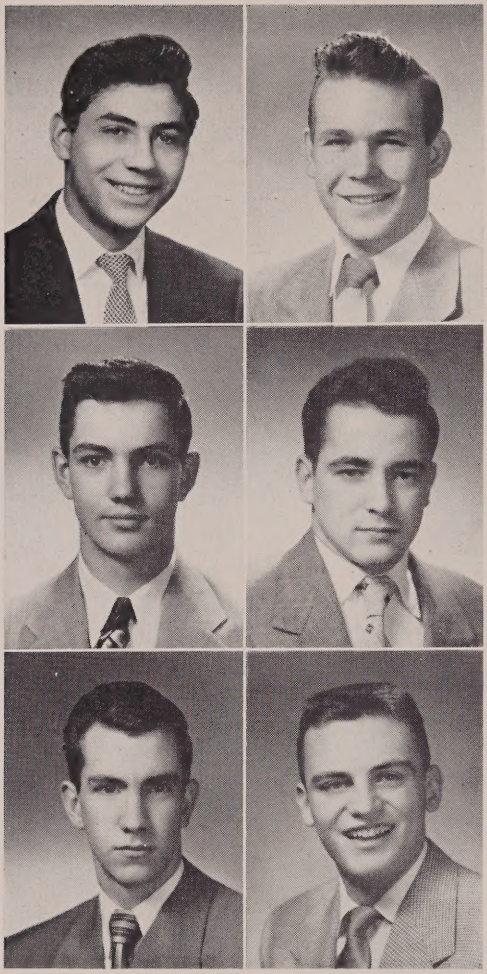
*Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, December 25, 1935

Ambition: To be an airplane engine specialist

**Activities: Baseball**

*"Born for success he seems."*



### JOSEPH F. GUCCIONE

*"Joe"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, March 15, 1935

Ambition: To be an auto mechanic

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"There is no substitute for hard work."*

### JAY A. HAMMOND

*College*

Birthplace: Newton, January 17, 1936

Ambition: Tool designing

*"Hide not your talents.*
*They for use were made."*

### ROBERT E. HARRINGTON

*"Bob"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Somerville, May 3, 1936

Ambition: To be a contractor

*"Industry is a lodestone to draw all good things"*

### JOHN W. HAYNES

*"Jack"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 5, 1934

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: Drum and Bugle Corps**

*"A will to success is half the fight."*

### ROBERT B. HICKEY

*"Smokestack"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, May 3, 1935

Ambition: To inherit a million

**Activities: Basketball, Baseball, Key Club**

*"For I know that many good things have happened to many, when least expected."*

### MELVIN JOHAN

*"Mel"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, May 2, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: Baseball**

*"Sincerity and honesty carry on through many difficulties."*

### RALPH H. KAPILIAN

*"Kappy"* *College*

Birthplace: Allston, July 31, 1935

Ambition: To be a physical education teacher

**Activities: Captain of the Baseball Team, Basketball, Band**

*"An all round athlete is he."*

### IRVING KARDONSKY

*"Irv"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, April 4, 1934

Ambition: To be a chemical engineer or chemist, and to make a big explosion

**Activities: Editorial Staff of Towers, Track**

*"Those who have the most to do will have the most time."*

### LYLE J. KAUFMAN

*"Sonny"* *College*

Birthplace: Albany, N. Y., June 14, 1935

Ambition: To be successful in whatever I do

**Activities: Co-Editor of the Gothic, Radio Club, French Club, Track, Drum and Bugle Corps**

*"Few words, much ability."*

### THOMAS D. KEENAN

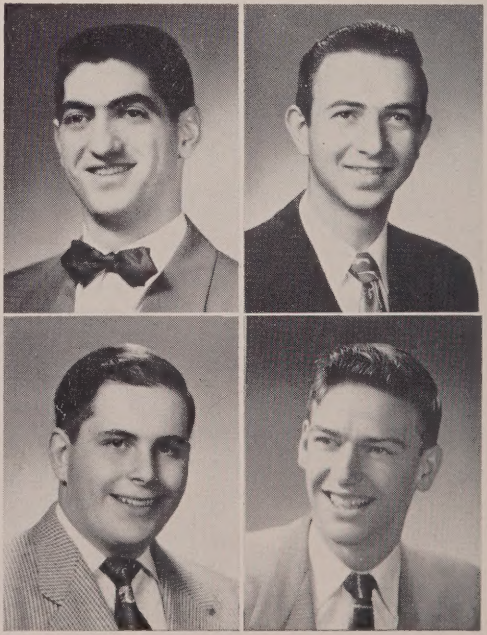
*"Tom"* *College*

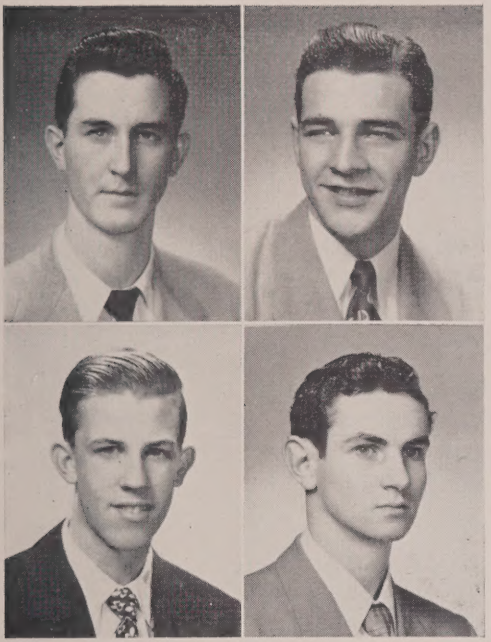
Birthplace: Brighton, October 17, 1934

Ambition: To be sports editor for the Boston Globe

**Activities: Basketball, Baseball**

*"If you want to read the best in sports,*
*Just watch the paper for Tom's reports."*





### JOHN J. KELLEY

*"Jack"* *College*

Birthplace: Brighton, December 7, 1935

Ambition: To be an electronics engineer

*"Skill and confidence are an unconquered army."*

### RONALD P. KELLY

*"Kel"* *Commerical*

Birthplace: Allston, March 15, 1935

Ambition: To join the armed forces

**Activities: Track**

*"All our fighting men are linked in friendly tether.*
*On land, on sea, in air they fight the foe together."*

### DONALD F. KENNEY

*"Donny"* *College*

Birthplace: Brighton, November 9, 1935

Ambition: To go to college

**Activities: Baseball**

*"A quiet studious lad is he,*
*Who works with great efficiency."*

### RICHARD J. KILDUFF

*"Rick"* *College*

Birthplace: Roslindale, December 17, 1934

Ambition: To be a jet pilot

**Activities: Drum Corps**

*"As a successful jet pilot,*
*He's sure to have a high lot."*

### CHARLES P. KIRBY

*"Chuck"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, October 19, 1934

Ambition: To be a business man

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Despatch is the soul of business."*

### CLARENCE A. KNIGHT

*"Clink"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, September 4, 1935

Ambition: To be an honor to my parents and firends

**Activities: Baseball, Orchestra**

*"Labour conquers all things."*

### ALAN M. KRONER

*"Al"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Malden, August 30, 1935

Ambition: To be an accountant

**Activities: Basketball**

*"A winning way, a pleasant smile,*
*A happy fellow all the while"*

### EUGENE H. KUSHNER

*"Gene"* *College*

Birthplace: Dorchester, May 9, 1935

Ambition: To go to college and be successful

**Activities: Drum and Bugle Corps**

*"And still be doing, never done."*

### RUSSELL KUSHNER

*"Russ"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, December 11, 1935

Ambition: To be a successful physician

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Football, Track**

*"To wish to be a successful physician*
*Is surely a truly laudable ambition."*

### SALVATORE C. LaMONICA

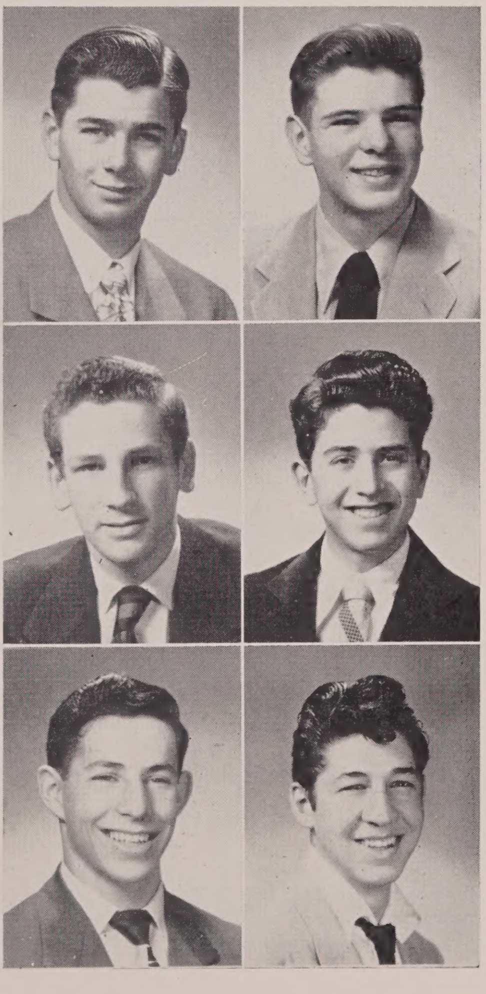
*"Libby"* *Cooperative*

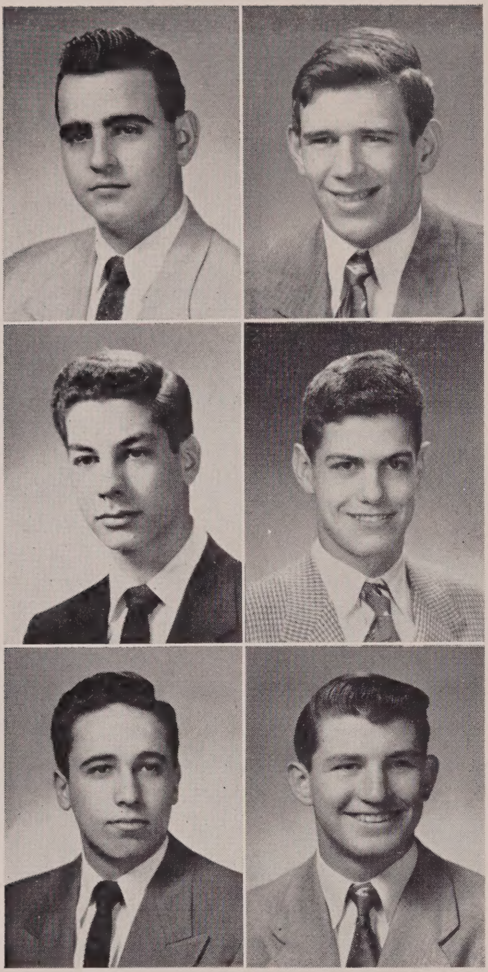
Birthplace: Boston, April 6, 1935

Ambition: To live an easy life

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"A man's happiness is to do man's true work."*





### JOHN A. LaRICCIA

*"The-Brow"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, March 28, 1935

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"There is no substitute for hard work.*

### LEROY A. LEMIER

*"Roy"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, October 7, 1934

Ambition: To play professional ball

**Activities: Football, Track, Baseball**

*"Did you read the scores? Did you hear*
*That in making touchdowns he has no peer."*

### DONALD E. LEVIN

*"Lev"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, September 11, 1935

Ambition: Veterinarian

**Activities: Baseball**

*"A winning way, a pleasant smile make his friendship most worthwhile."*

### THOMAS M. LINNANE

*"Tom"* *College*

Birthplace: Allston, August 11, 1935

Ambition: To be a telephone employee

**Activities: Track**

*"We're glad to say that he's our friend.*
*We know that he'll stick to the very end."*

### LORETTO J. LOMBARDI

*"Larry"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Italy, February 28, 1936

Ambition: To live the life of Riley

*"Joking and humor are pleasant and often of extreme utility."*

### JOHN J. LONG

*"Junior"* *College*

Birthplace: Brighton, January 25, 1932

Ambition: To play quarterback for the Cleveland Browns

**Activities: Co-Captain of the Football Team, Basketball, Baseball**

*"Surely nothing can go wrong,*
*With a team that's led by Junior Long."*

### WILLIAM A. LUISO

*"Chief"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, February 1, 1935

Ambition: To play professional ball

**Activities: Football, Baseball, Track**

*"Through thick and thin,*
*We know he'll win."*

### JAMES M. LUNDY

*"Jim"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, November 7, 1934

Ambition: To be a successful tune-up man

**Activities: Towers Staff, B. H. S. Patrol, Basketball**

*"In carburetion and ignition*
*He'll surely realize his ambition."*

### RICHARD E. MacCULLAGH

*"Dick"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, September 10, 1934

Ambition: To be a Congregational minister

**Activties: Towers Staff**

*"He heard in his soul the music of wonderful melodies."*

### GEORGE MALOOF

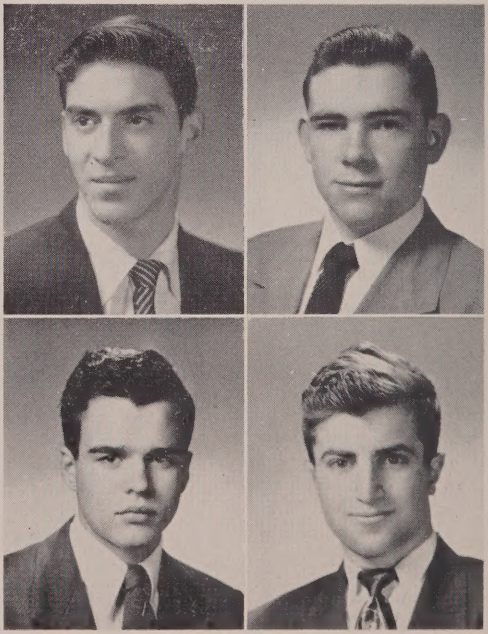
*Cooperative*

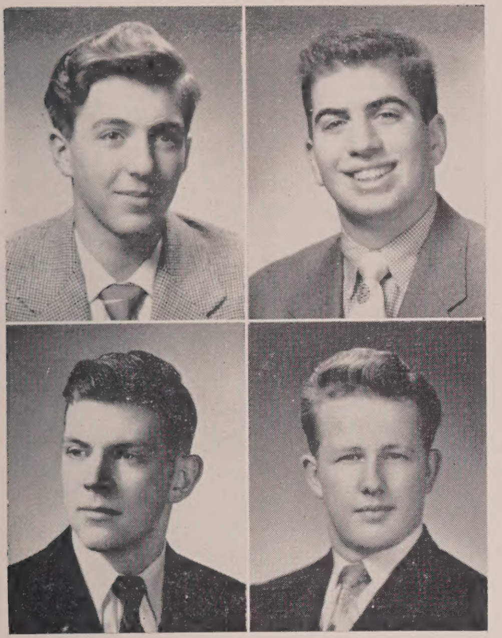
Birthplace: Boston, March 9, 1935

Ambition: To own and drive a stock car

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"To win a race, the swiftness of a dart.*
*Availeth not without a timely start."*





### ROBERT R. MATLOFF

*"Mat", "Bob"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, October 29, 1934

Ambition: To have lots of money

*"To despise money on some occasions is a very great gain."*

### EDMOND K. MATTA

*"Pancho"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, January 14, 1934

Ambition: To be a tycoon of Wall St.

**Activities: Football, Baseball, Tennis**

*"He will cope with the bulls and bears."*

### HAROLD L. McCORMICK

*"Mac"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 14, 1933

Ambition: To be a traveling salesman

*"A merchant of great traffic throughout the world."*

### FENTON K. McLAUGHLIN

*"Joe", "Mack"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Island Falls, Maine August 31, 1934

Ambition: To be an automobile mechanic

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Labor conquers all things."*

### TERENCE J. McMANUS

*"Terry"* *College*

Birthplace: Brighton, September 8, 1935

Ambition: To become involved in national politics

**Activities: French Club**

*"He serves his party best*
*Who serves the country best."*

### JAMES H. McNULTY

*"Mac"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Watertown, July 8, 1934

Ambition: To be an officer in the United States Navy

**Activities: Baseball**

*"O'er the bright blue waters with his men,*
*Comes Captain McNulty, U. S. N."*

### JAMES M. MEIKLE

*"Jim"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, March 19, 1935

Ambition: To be in the field of electronics

**Activities: Band, Orchestra**

*"A new age of progress, surely dawns,*
*As he deals with the phenomena of free electrons."*

### MICHAEL D. MELTZER

*"Mike"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 2, 1935

Ambition: To be successful in anything I do

*"The secret of success is constancy of purpose."*

### DONALD C. MOCCIA

*"Moe"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, October 15, 1935

Ambition: To be a naval pilot

**Activities: Football, Track, Baseball**

*"On his success you may rely.*
*He'll travel lanes of sea and sky."*

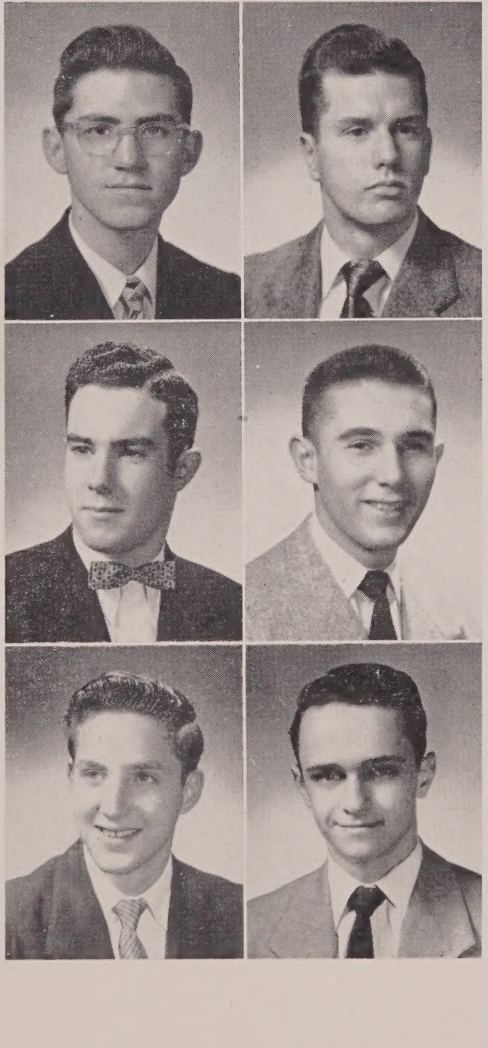
### DONALD A. MOORE

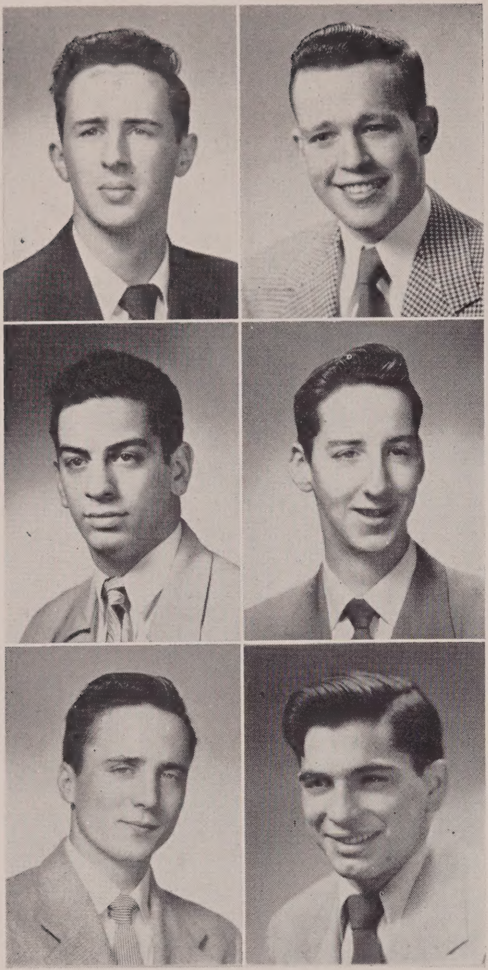
*"Moe"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, April 19, 1935

Ambition: To be a research chemist

*"He, like Caesar, has ambition."*





### LAWRENCE G. MORRIS

*"Josh"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, April 2, 1935

Ambition: To be successful

**Activities: Track**

*"Either do not attempt at all,*
*or go through with it."*

### WILLIAM J. MURRAY

*"Bill"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, October 1, 1935

Ambition: To be a baseball player

**Activities: Football, Hockey, Baseball**

*"When o'er the plate Bill Murray towers,*
*The pitcher knows he's heading for the showers."*

### CHARLES E. NAGER

*"Charlie"* *College*

Birthplace: Roxbury, February 4, 1936

Ambition: To be placed on the consulate for Israel

**Activities: Track, Towers Staff, French Club**

*"We see what Charles is aiming at.*
*He wants to be a diplomat."*

### ROBERT T. NEEDHAM

*"Bob"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, August 18, 1934

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Work is all alone noble."*

### RAYMOND J. NOONAN

*"Ray"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, February 12, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: Baseball**

*"A winning way, a pleasant smile,*
*A happy person all the while."*

### PHILLIP A. ODDO

*"Phil"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, May 5, 1934

Ambition: To be an eccentric millionaire

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol, Football**

*"Observe the great felicity.*
*That he sees in eccentricity."*

### HARLEY OSTOPOSIDES

*"Osto"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 17, 1934

Ambition: To go to Boston University

**Activities: Basketball, Baseball**

*"Learning is a kind of natural food for the mind."*

### CHARLES A. PASSANISI

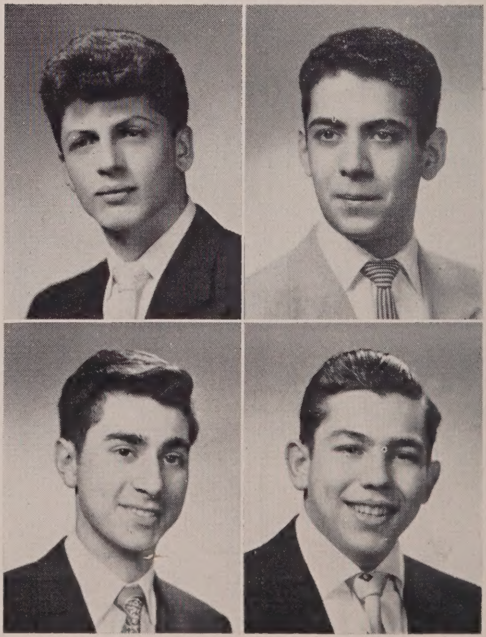
*"Charlie Pass"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, March 18, 1935

Ambition: To be a good auto mechanic

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol, Gothic Representative**

*"Few things are impossible to diligence and skill."*



### ANTHONY L. PETRILLO

*"Tony"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: East Boston, March 26, 1935

Ambition: To be an auto mechanic

*"Optimism is life's buoyancy."*

### ROBERT S. PETRILLO

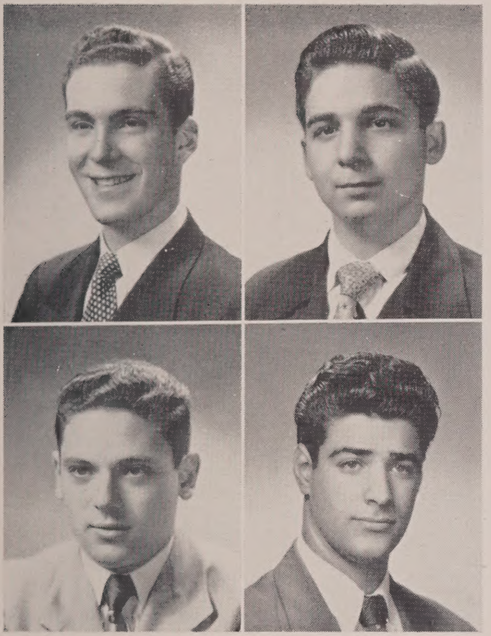
*"Butch"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, September 12, 1935

Ambition: To be a parts manager

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Perseverance means success."*



### EUGENE L. PORTANOVA

*"Gene"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Cambridge, October 10, 1934

Ambition: To play the trumpet

**Activities: Band**

*"Loudly let the trumpets bray.*
*Tan-tan-ta-ra, Tan-tan-ta-ra."*

### JAMES I. RAGUSA

*"J. J"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, March 6, 1936

Ambition: To be an auto mechanic

**Activities: Baseball, Student Council**

*"If you know your ambition,*
*Then follow it through."*

### EDWARD E. REISER

*"Eddie"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, February 22, 1936

Ambition: To be a successful engineer, and build the biggest bridge in the world

**Activities: Baseball, Hockey, Band**

*"The worker never knows defeat."*

### PAUL M. RESNICK

*"Resy"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, February 20, 1936

Ambition: To be a dentist

**Activities: Football, Drums**

*"For a filling or extraction,*
*Just watch Dr. Paul in action."*

### JOSEPH R. RICCOBENE

*"Ricci"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: East Boston, October 5, 1934

Ambition: To own a motorcycle and a Caddy convertible

**Activities: Football, Hockey, Basketball**

*"He seems to lean toward Cadillacs.*
*What's the price including tax?"*

### RICHARD M. RING

*"Dick"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Pittsfield, Mass. May 20, 1934

Ambition: To be a traveling salesman

**Activities: Hockey**

*"One of lightning's greatest rivals."*

### ANTHONY J. RIZZACASA

*"Tony"* *College*

Birthplace: Hyde Park, October 16, 1933

Ambition: To enter the field of civil engineering

**Activities: Key Club, Co Captain of the Football Team, Baseball**

*"In sports he is surely grand.*
*His fame will spread throughout the land."*

### GEORGE S. ROSEN

*College*

Birthplace: Cambridge, May 23, 1936

Ambition: To be a chemical engineer

**Activities: Baseball Manager, Gothic Staff**

*"The man who talks is a man to delight you."*

### GEORGE D. RUSSELL

*"Danny"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, September 8, 1935

Ambition: To build racing cars

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Labors accomplished are pleasant."*

### MATTHEW W. SALLET

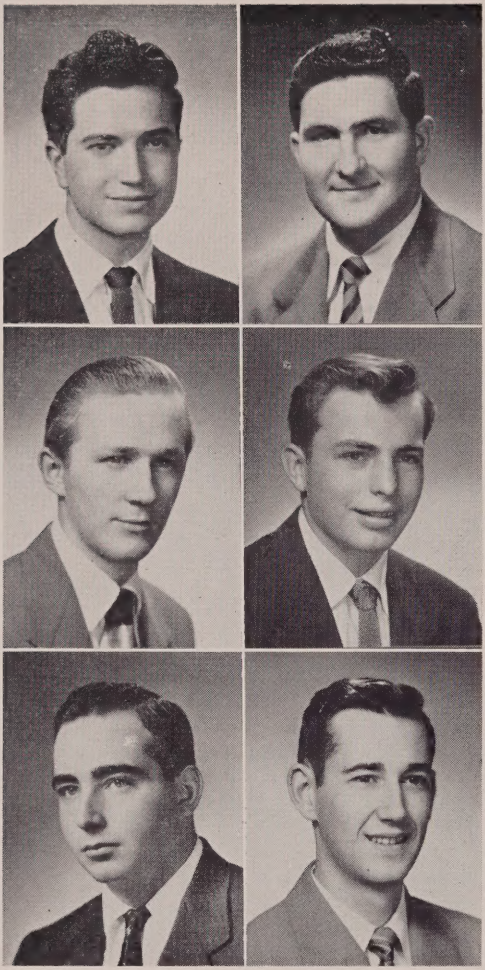
*"Matt"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, May 16, 1935

Ambition: To become a successful businessman

**Activities: Football**

*"Matt undoubtedly will rise*
*In some commercial enterprise."*



### DANIEL SALVUCCI

*"Danny"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Brighton, December 28, 1934

Ambition: To own "Dan's Auto Service"

*"'Tis toils reward that sweetens industry."*

### MURRAY J. SCHOONER

*College*

Birthplace: Winthrop, June 12, 1935

Ambition: To be an engineer

**Activities: Track, Tennis, Football, Drum and Bugle Corps, Spanish Club**

*"A mighty man was he."*

### DANIEL J. SHEA

*"Texas Dan"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Walpole, February 26, 1936

Ambition: To become a hillbilly musician

*"To brisk notes in cadence beating,*
*Glance their many twinkling feet."*

### ROBERT J. SHEA

*"Bob"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, November 5, 1935

Ambition: To be a teacher

*"Studies serve for delight, for ornament, and for ability."*

### SUMNER H. SIMON

*"Sonny"* *College*

Birthplace: Dorchester, February 15, 1935

Ambition: To go to college

**Activities: Football**

*"His ways are ways of friendliness."*

### RICHARD W. SKINNER

*"Dick"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Guilford, Maine, October 5, 1934

Ambition: To grow old

*"Crown a youth of labor with an age of ease."*

### ARTHUR G. SLOANE

*"Art"* *College*

Birthplace: Providence, R. I., April 21, 1935

Ambition: Career with the U. S. A. F.

**Activities: Towers, German Club**

*"To strive with the winds"*

### JAMES J. SOLARI

*"Skip"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton August 6, 1934

Ambition: To spend my first million

*"Remember that time is money."*

### RICHARD C. SOMERVILLE

*"Red"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, March 20, 1934

Ambition: To see the world

**Activities: Baseball, Hockey, B. H. S. Patrol, Gothic Representative**

*"The use of traveling is to regulate imagination by reality."*

### THOMAS V. SPIRO

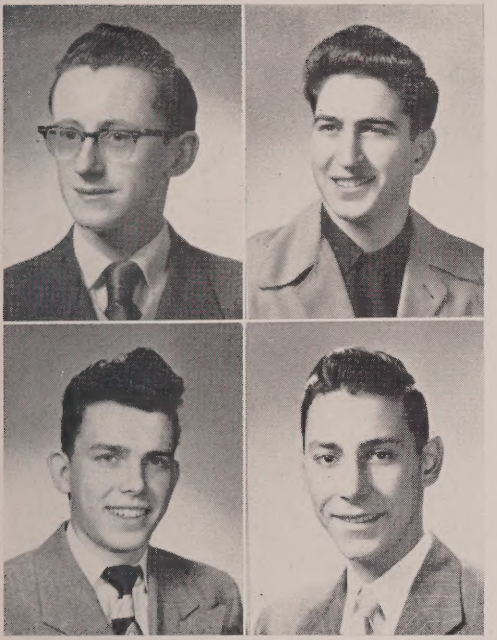
*"Tom"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, July 23, 1935

Ambition: To be like my father was

**Activities: Football, Hockey**

*"A purpose is the eternal condition of success."*



### CHARLES A. STENSTREEM

*"Charlie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, November 13, 1933

Ambition: To travel

*"A vagabond when rich is called a tourist."*

### GERALD A. SUDBEY

*"Sudsy"* *College*

Birthplace: Jamaica Plain, December 31, 1935

Ambition: To coach college football

**Activities: Student Council, Drum and Bugle Corps**

*"Yea. Coach! Yea, Sudbey!*
*Yea. yea, Coach Sudbey*

### JOHN F. STRANGIE

*"J. J."* *Commercial*

Birthplace: East Boston, January 20, 1936

Ambition: To go to college

**Activities: Football, Baseball, Basketball**

*"It matters not the kind of ball.*
*J. J. the opposition can always appall."*

### FRANK D. TRAMONTOZZI

*"Trem"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, June 28, 1935

Ambition: To be a millionaire

**Activities: Track, Baseball**

*"Perseverance-need we say more?"*

### MYRON A. TUCKER

*"Tuck"* *College*

Birthplace: Cambridge, November 12, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in Whatever I may do

**Activities: Gothic Staff, Track**

*"Get good counsel before you begin, and when you have decided, act promptly."*

### JOHN M. TWOMBLY

*"Bud"* *College*

Birthplace: Ware, Mass., July 21, 1935

Ambition: To be a dentist

**Activities: Basketball, Baseball**

*"If you want painless dentistry.*
*Consult John Twombly. D. M. D."*

### THOMAS L. VIA

*"Tom"* *College*

Birthplace: Rochester, N. Y., June 3, 1935

Ambition: To be a scientist

**Activitites: Towers Staff, Gothic Staff**

*"The honor and greatness of his name will shine."*

### GERALD D. TUTON

*"Jerry"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston August 9, 1935

Ambition: To be a politician

*"For what purpose does the gentleman arise?"*

### LEONARD A. VACCARO

*"Lenny"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, November 5, 1935

Ambition: To be a millionaire

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"In his ambition to succeed*
*The touch of Midas he will need."*

### ROBERT M. WALDRON

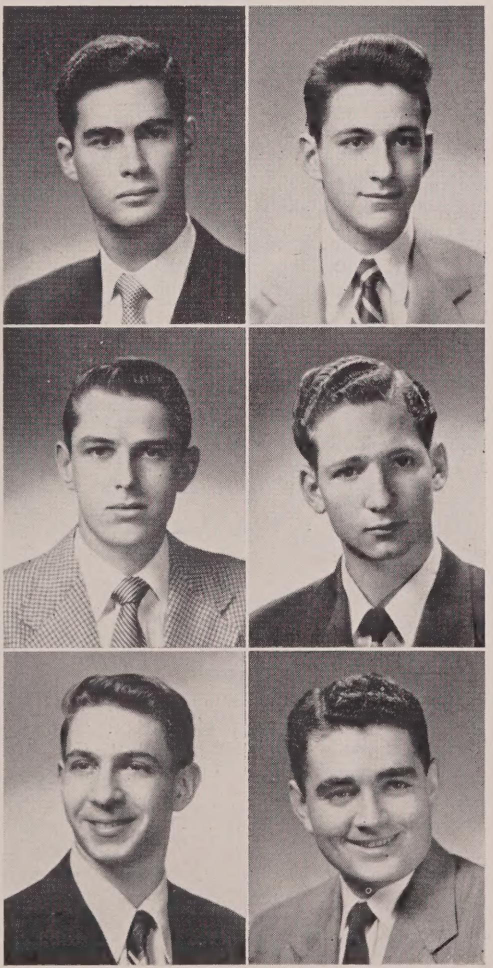
*"Bob"* *Commercial*

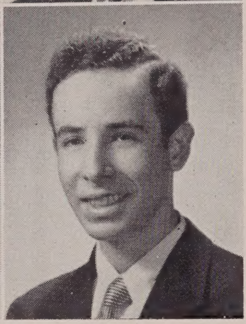
Birthplace: Brighton, April 23, 1935

Ambition: To be a success

**Activities: Football, Student Council**

*"Happy go-lucky. carefree and true,*
*When you're with him, you're never blue."*





### EDWARD P. WALSH

*Commercial*

Birthplace: Forest Hills

Ambition: To be a certified public accountant

*"A quiet lad it's true-but with a sense of honor shining through."*

### DAVID S. WILSON

*"Dave"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, June 27, 1935

Ambition: To be a success in life

**Activities: Band, Radio Club**

*"He that leaps the wide gulf should prevail in his quest."*

### JOSEPH ZEOLI

*"Zeke"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: East Boston, July 23, 1934

Ambition: To have my own repair shop

**Activities: Baseball, Hockey, Football, Basketball**

*"Pleasure and action make the days seem short."*

### FREDERIC A. ZIMAN

*"Zig"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, October 2, 1935

Ambition: To be a pilot

**Activities: Spanish Club**

*"He wishes to be a pilot*
*That certainly is a high lot."*

### PETER J. BINGEL

*"Bing"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Framingham, November 30, 1935

Ambition: To be a grease monkey

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"A little fun now and then*
*Is relished by the best of men."*

### RAY CIVILI

*"Rocky"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, December 26, 1933

Ambition: To be an auto mechanic

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Honor lies in honest tail."*

### CHARLES J. MICALE

*"Charley"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, January 23, 1935

Ambition: To be a good mechanic

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Heaven is blessed with perfect rest,*
*But the blessing of earth is toil."*

### RICHARD P. SECORD

*"Dick"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, November 23, 1933

Ambition: To be a cook

**Activities: Baseball, Football**

*"Come and get it."*

### ARTHUR W. BRUNELLE

*"Archie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Boston, January 3, 1933

Ambition: To be a salesman

*"His skill we know he'll exercise*
*In selling valuable merchandise'"*

### GEORGE G. COOK

*"Cookie"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, June 8, 1935

Ambition: To become a success

**Activities: Track**

*"He that climbs the tall tree has won the right to the fruit."*

### EUGENE A. RITA

*"Geno"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, December 22, 1935

Ambition: To be a ballplayer

**Activities: Basketball, Baseball**

*"Geno'll know just what to do,*
*When the count is three and two."*

### HANS SEELIG

*College*

Birthplace: Munich, Germany, November 5, 1935

Ambition: To go to college

*"They are never alone that are accompanied by noble thoughts."*

### WILLIAM H. TRESELER

*"Tres"* *Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, February 24, 1935

Ambition: To own my own garage

*"The shortest answer is doing."*

### PAUL C. CAREW

*Cooperative*

Birthplace: Boston, August 26, 1935

Ambition: To be an auto mechanic

**Activities: B. H. S. Patrol**

*"Onward and conquer and never say fail."*

### JOHN D. MAHONEY

*"Jack". "Moe"* *Commercial*

Birthplace: Brighton, February 18, 1935

Ambition: To make a quick million and then loaf

**Activities: Football**

*"With only one million you can't relax*
*What about the income tax?"*

### PETER RYAN

### JOHN L. SWEENEY

*"Jack"* *College*

Birthplace: Boston, October 14, 1935

Ambition: To be a mechanical engineer

**Activities: Towers Staff, Student Council**

*"Ah, to build, to build!*
*That is the noblest of all the arts."*

Donald Kenney, Nancy Harris, John Long, Barbara Olansky, Mary Jane Perkins

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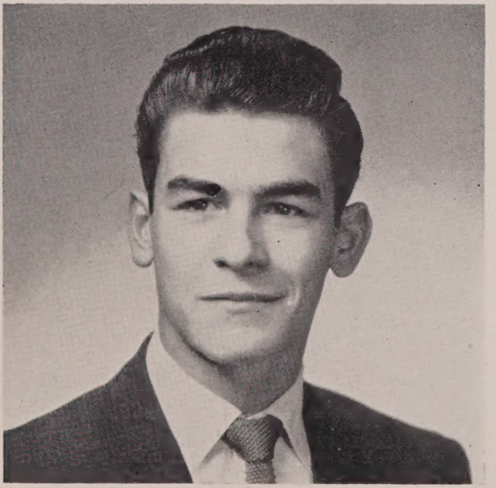
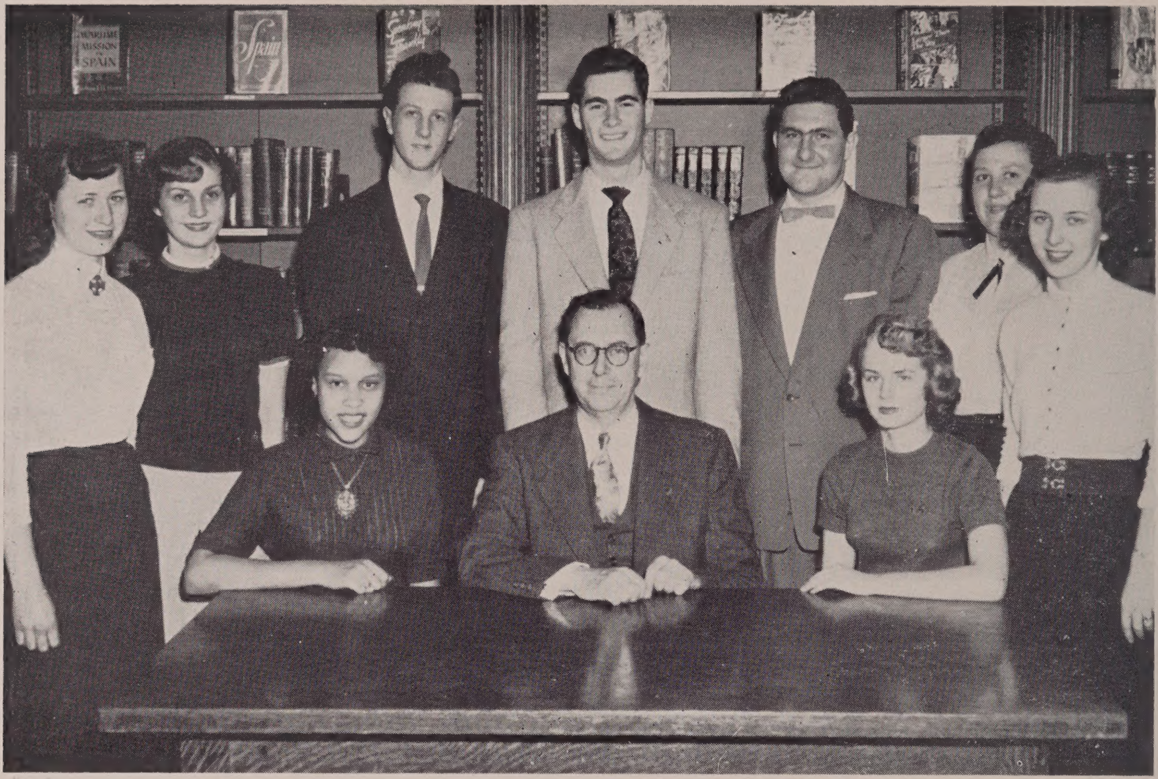
|---|---|
| Representative of College Course | Nancy Harris |
| Representative of Commercial Course | Mary Jane Perkins |
| Representative of Cooperative Course | Joseph Riccobene |
| Winner of Medal in Physical Education | Barbara Olansky |
| Winner of Medal in Physical Education | Donald Kenney |
| Winner of Thomas A. Scanlon Cup | John Long |



JOSEPH RICCOBENE

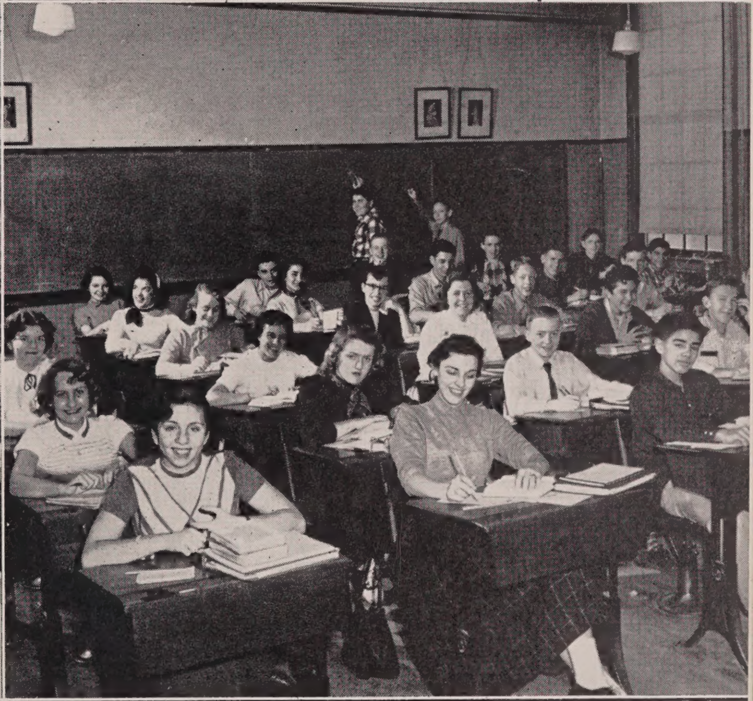


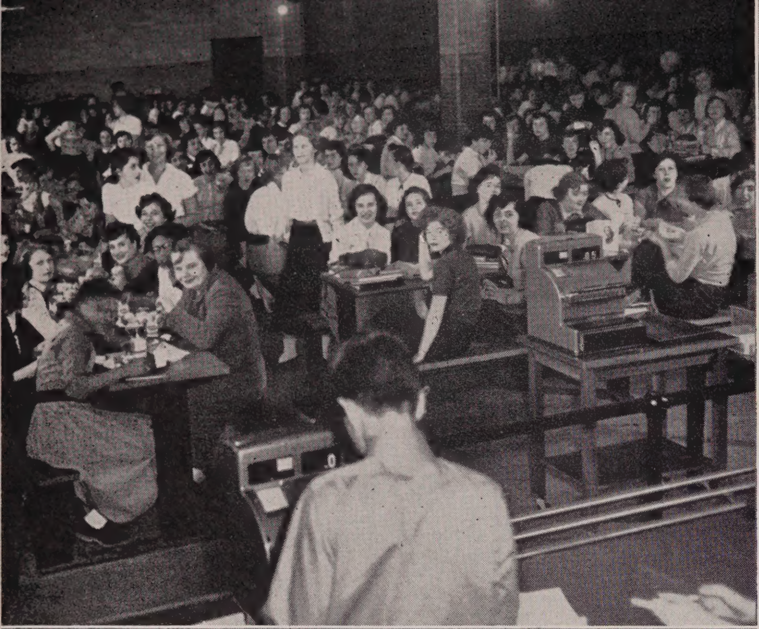
# Class Marshals

**Seated:** Mary Ann Roberts, Mr. Leary, Barabara O'Donnell.

**Standing:** Pauline Hurley, Barbara DuLong, David Wilson, Myron Tucker, Murray Schooner, Mary Leone, Nancy Davis.

PAULINA SMITH
*Tree Orator*





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# Activities

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**Left to right:** Georgette Turk, Paula Melnick, Ann Cluhane, Phyllis Stewart.

# Le Cercle Francais

Presidente ------------------- NANCY HARRIS
Vice Presidente -------- ---- VIVIAN AARONS
Secretaire ------------------ ELAINE BERMAN
Tresoriere -------------------- HELEN MISSEL

L'annee 1953 a ete pour nous, les membres du Cercle Francais, un temps d'effort et de travail, ainsi que de plaisir et de profit. Sous la direction de Mademoiselle Adams nous avons essaye de nous perfectionner dans la langue francaise, et nous croyons y avoir fait quelques progres. Depuis octobre jusqu'en mai nous nous sommes reunis une fois par mois. A toutes ces reunions on a eu l'occasion d'assister a un programme interessant et agreable.

En octobre le Cercle Francais a expedie a l'orphelinat a Cannes, Le Rayon de Soleil, des colis de vetements dont le contenu suffisait a fournir quelque chose de nouveau a chaque orphelin—au nombre de quatre-vingt-neuf. On nous a fait voir les splendides vues en couleurs que Mademoiselle Adams a prises en faisant un voyage en France.

La reunion du mois de decembre etait notre Gala de Noel. Il y a eu un programme de divertissements varies offert par ceux et celles d'entre nous que le bon Dieu a doues d'un talent pour la musique ou la comedie.

Au mois de fevrier nous avons eu un petit diner — un vrai repas francais — chez "La Duchesse Anne", un de nos restaurants francais a Boston.

Et enfin, point peut-etre culminant de notre saison, il ne faut pas oublier le the qui est projete pour la reunion du mois de mai. Mademoiselle Jacqueline Lagache, actuellement etudiante d'echange a la Sargent School of Physical Education, y sera l'invitee d'honneur. Elle nous adressera la parole au sujet de l'enseignement en France.

NANCY HARRIS, Presidente

# The Student Council

President ---------------- GEORGETTE TURK
Vice President -------------- PHYLLIS STUART
Secretary -------------------- ANN CULHANE
Treasurer ------------------- PAULA MELNICK

The Student Council, as its name implies, consists of representatives elected by the sudent body to voice its opinions and suggestions for the benefit of the Brighton High School.

This organization has accomplished a great deal in the past year. Free information booklets were given to the Sophomores, whereas in other years the Student Council sold these useful booklets which describe the routine of the school. Another successful activity was the selling of bookcovers and pins.

Every year the Council elects delegates to attend the Eastern Division of Student Councils. These meetings help our Council members to learn of the progress of our neighboring high schools and to meet students of other school systems.

The main event of the year, however, was the Talent Show sponsored by the Student Council. This year, as always, the Talent Show was a great success.

The senior members of the Council sincerely hope that future Council members will continue to carry on the work of keeping high the standards of Brighton High School.

ANN CULHANE, Secretary

**Left to right:** Elaine Berman, Vivian Aarons, Nancy Harris, Helen Missel.

**Left to right:** Ann Culhane, Barbara Olansky, Barbara O'-Donnell, Mary Ann Roberts, Paulina Smith.

## The Reading Club

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| President | BARBARA O'DONNELL |
| Vice President | ANN CULHANE |
| Secretary | MARY ANN ROBERTS |
| Treasurer | PAULINA SMITH |
| Chairman of the Executive Committee — | BARBARA OLANSKY |

Under the excellent direction of Miss Bailey and Miss Marshall, with the co-operation of the officers and the members, the Reading Club has enjoyed an intellectually profitable year. A program of poems, essays, short stories, and plays in which the members of the Club participated was planned for each meeting which was held on the third Tuesday of each month.

Beautiful colored slides of Hawaii and Europe were shown by Miss Gilman at one meeting, and each member was allowed to bring a guest. Outings were made to famous Massachusetts landmarks.

As the year drew to a close, the Club had a meeting to welcome the prospective members for next year. Any junior girl who was an honor student in English is eligible for membership in her senior year.

We, the members of 1953, sincerely wish the incoming members of 1954 a successful and enjoyable year such as we have had.

BARBARA O'DONNELL, President

## The Glee Club

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| President | ALICE JOHNSON |
| Vice President | PATRICIA deJONY |
| Secretary - Treasurer | LOIS BURKE |
| Librarian | JOAN BOWER |

One of the most active groups of the school is the Glee Club. Officers and members are musical students who work willingly and harmoniously for the success of the organization. Under the direction of Mr. T. Francis Burke, the club has participated in many of the activities of the school: the Christmas Pageant, the Talent Show, the Washington and Lincoln Day program, and many special assemblies. Our deepest appreciation goes to all who have aided the club.

**Left to right:** Patricia DeJony, Lois Burke, Alice Johnson, Joan Bowen.

# Der Deutsche Verein

Die Leiter fuer 1952 - 1953

Praesident ------------------ RICHARD DUWAN
Vizepraesidentin ------------------ ANN BURKE
Sekretaerin - Schatzmeisterin -- ANNE SPENCER
Programmleiterin ------------ DORIS RISEMAN

Unter der tuechtigen Leitung des Frl. O'Brien hat Der Deutsche Verein wieder ein erfolgreiches Jahr vollendet. Das Ziel des Klubs war eine weitere Interesse der deutschen Sprache zu stimulieren, und den Gebrauch der Sprache zwischen den Schuelern zu befoerdern. Waehrend der Versammlungen genossen die Mitglieder deutsche Dialoge, Volkslieder, Spiele, Schauspiele und Unterhaltung. Einige der Mitglieder unterhielten Briefwechsel mit Schuelerinnen in Stuttgart, Deutschland, wodurch sie eine bessere Bekanntschaft mit der deutschen Leute bekamen.

Wir hoffen, dass die zukuenftigen Vereine ebensoviel Freude und Spass haben werden, wie wir dieses Jahr gehabt haben.

**Left to right:** Doris Riseman, Richard Duwan, Ann Burke.

# The Music Appreciation Club

President --------------- CHRISTOPHER KINAS
Vice President -------- MALCOLM BERNHARDT
Secretary ----------------- LESTER FLEISHMAN
Treasurer --------------- ALEXANDRA STAMM

The Music Appreciation Club aims to cultivate a taste for and an appreciation of all kinds of good music. Under the capable supervision of Miss Charlotte Adams, the club met once a month to hear recordings of both popular and classical selections. Other interesting activities included a visit to a radio broadcast and the attendance at an opera. At Christmas the Music Appreciation Club and Le Cercle Francais held a joint party and concert.

As the year draws to a close, the members of 1952-1953 look back with pleasure on their delightful experiences and hope that the members of next year's Club will have an enjoyable year.

CHRISTOPHER KINAS, President

**Left to right:** Malcolm Berhardt, Lester Fleishman, Alexandra Stamm, Christopher Kinas.

# Art Club

**Left to right:** Jean Bluteau, Janice Colarusso, Sandra Merritt, Venice Cahaly.

# Girls' Sports Club

LA PROVINCE QUÉBEC
SKI QUÉBEC
BIENVENUE
CANADA

**Left to right:** Barbara Olansky, Captain of Softball Team; Marilyn Cuneo, Captain of Bowling Team; Edith Dyson, Captain of Swimming Team; Beverly Mullen, Captain of Basketball Team.

**First Row:** Mary Jane Perkins, Barbara O'Donnell, Beverly Mahoney, Alice O'Connor, Barbara Rettie, Miss Marshall, Nancy Harris, Marilyn Bornstein, Helen Tempesta, Charlene Sack.

**Second Row:** Jane Grund, Arlene Cohen, Patricia Finn, Paulette Joffe, Arlene Nilsson, Audrey Thomas, Gladys Adams, Joan Sargent, Norma Cunningham, Sandra Merritt, Paulina Smith, Jean Gilbert, Doris Riseman.

**Third Row:** Dorothea Benstock, Barbara Foley, Michael Cohen, Arthur Sloane, John Buckley, Irving Kardonsky, Charles Nager, Russell Kushner, Richard Gladu, Mary Ann Roberts, Ann Spina, Faith McCrum.

# Brighton Towers

We of the Brighton Towers have had a most interesting and successful year. We have endeavored to publish stories, poems, editorials, and feature articles which would be of interest to all. A spirit of cooperation developed among us, and in this spirit we accomplished the many tasks which face every high school magazine staff. The press conferences were a source of interest to us all. They enabled students from other schools to become familiar with our methods of publication and we learned of theirs. Our many successes, however, would never have occurred without the tireless efforts of our faculty advisors. Miss Marshall has shown unceasing interest not only in the Towers but also in each individual on the staff. As our high school years draw to a close, we express our gratitude to fellow classmates who have so faithfully supported us in every undertaking and have helped to make our Towers of 1953 a precious keepsake of our years at the Castle on the Hill.

BARBARA L. RETTIE, Editor-in-Chief

**First Row:** Clare Dodge, Barbara Fisher, Lois Nosworthy, Helen Hession, Alice Johnson.
**Second Row:** Fred Tillotson, Richard Ring, Johnson, Frederick Loveley, Lawrence Smoske, Salvatore Bartalotti.

# Orchestra

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| President | RICHARD RING |
| Vice President | FREDERICK LOVELEY |
| Secretary | LOIS NOSWORTHY |
| Librarian | BARBARA FISHER |

This year the members of the orchestra at Brighton High School with the aid of Mr. Saragusa, orchestra leader for the Boston Public Schools, tried to attain perfection in musical achievement.

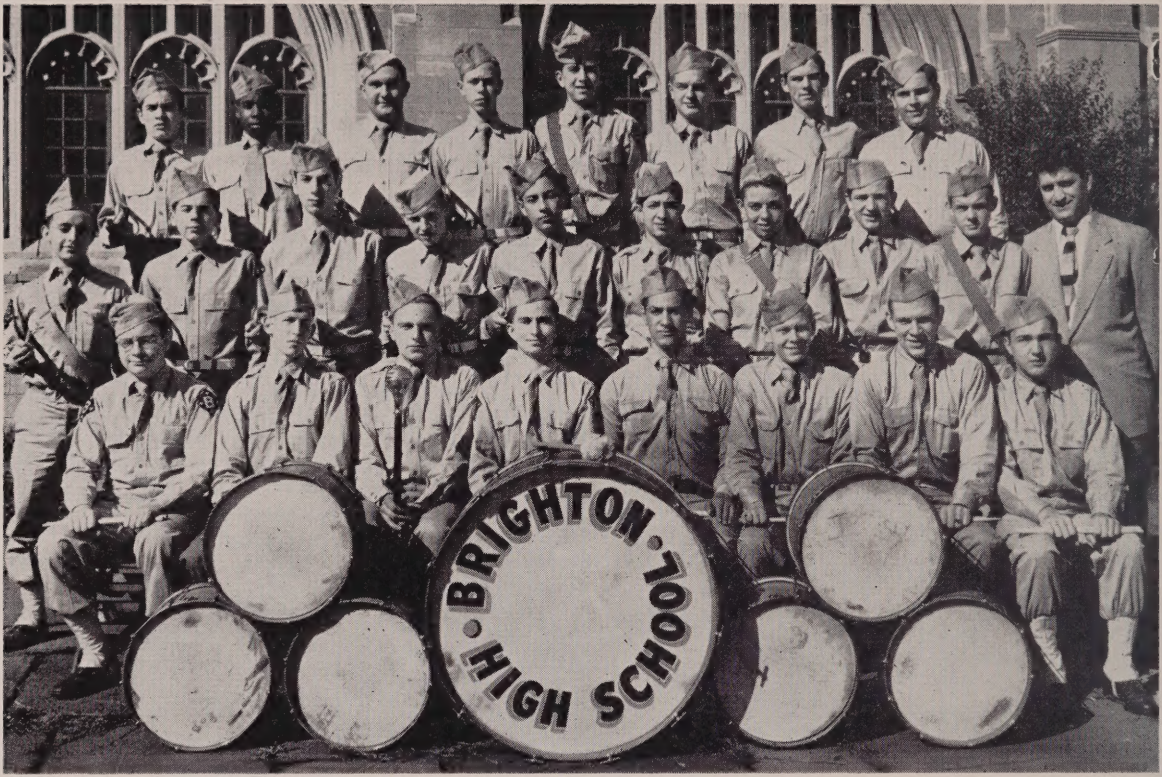
Each Thursday we had rehearsals in the school library. Mr. Saragusa gave generously of his time and talents.

During the year the orchestra played at various functions; namely, Brighton Evening High School Graduation, Class Day, and various assemblies at the school.

The orchestra itself consists of a piano, three clarinets, three violins, a bass, two trumpets, and two drums.

This was excellent experience for all members and I know the experience we gained will be of invaluable service later on in life.

RICHARD RING, President



**First Row:** M. Cohen, R. Ring, F. Loveley, A. Sloane, P. Resnick, R. Brownall, M. McCormack, E. Wilde.

**Second Row:** L. Doucette, S. Abrams, J. Granoff, W. Hogan, M. Spivack, J. Cutler, W. Carroll, J. Solari, G. Sudbey, Mr. Saragusa.

**Third Row:** R. Dixey, C. Janey, M. Schooner, R. Sheinfeld, E. Kushner, D. Chambers, W. Hurley, L. Kaufman.

# Drum and Bugle Corps

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| Captain | JERALD GRANOFF |
| Captain | RICHARD RING |
| First Lieutenant | MICHAEL COHEN |
| First Lieutenant | MURRAY SCHOONER |
| Second Lieutenant | SUMNER ABRAMS |
| Second Lieutenant | LYLE KAUFMAN |
| Second Lieutenant | GERALD SUDBEY |

Brighton's boys this year have gone "all out" to give Brighton High School its best Drum and Bugle Corps. In the past, Brighton's Drum and Bugle Corps has been outstanding, and this year the members strove to better the former record.

As captain, I wish to thank the other commissioned officers and teachers who have aided me in making this year's Drum and Bugle Corps a real sucess.

The Corps, which is made up of a group of talented boys, hopes that the spirit and enthusiasm that are now present will be carried on in "54".

Captain JERALD GRANOFF

BRIGHTON HIGH SCHOOL

**First Row:** G. Tsacoyeanes, R. Cummings, J. Repta, E. Thomas, E. Davies, R. Kapilian, E. Siegel.

**Second Row:** Mr. Saragusa, J. Cocuzzo, D. Waldman, L. Smoske, J. Meikle, R. Johnson, F. Cohen, Mr. Patch.

**Third Row:** R. Guardin, L. Schwartz, D. Wilson, E. Reiser, F. Tillotson, W. Hurley, F. Duke.

# Band

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|---|---|
| Captain | JAMES MEIKLE |
| Captain | EUGENE PORTANOVA |
| First Lieutenant | EDWARD REISER |
| First Lieutenant | DAVID WILSON |
| First Lieutenant | ELLIOT THOMAS |
| Second Lieutenant | FRED DUKE |
| Second Lieutenant | RALPH KAPILIAN |

This year, because of the wonderful leadership of Mr. Lewis of the faculty and Mr. Saragusa, the band reached a high degree of musical accomplishment. Much of our success was due to the unlimited time given us by the sectional teachers: Mr. Barrett, clarinet; Mr. MacDonald, brass; Mr. Gardner, drums.

The news of the death of Mr. Sordillo, who was our leader last year, was received with profound regret. Mr. Saragusa, an alumnus of this school and nephew of Mr. Sordillo, has helped us tremendously in our playing and marching.

We sincerely hope that the band of next year will be as good as the one this year and will continue to participate in the competition of bands in the schoolboys' parade.

Captain JAMES MEIKLE

**First Row:** John Brown, John Long, John Euckley, Mr. Leary, Anthony Rizzacasa, Mr. O'Keeffe, Richard Gladu, Sumner Abrams.

**Second Row:** Leonard Doucette, Eustice Payne, James Little, Terence McManus, Richard Rago, John Ward, Robert Hatch.

**Third Row:** David Chambers, Donald MacCullagh, Fred Tillotson, Robert Hickey, Edward O'Neil, Philip Berardi, William Carroll.

# The Key Club

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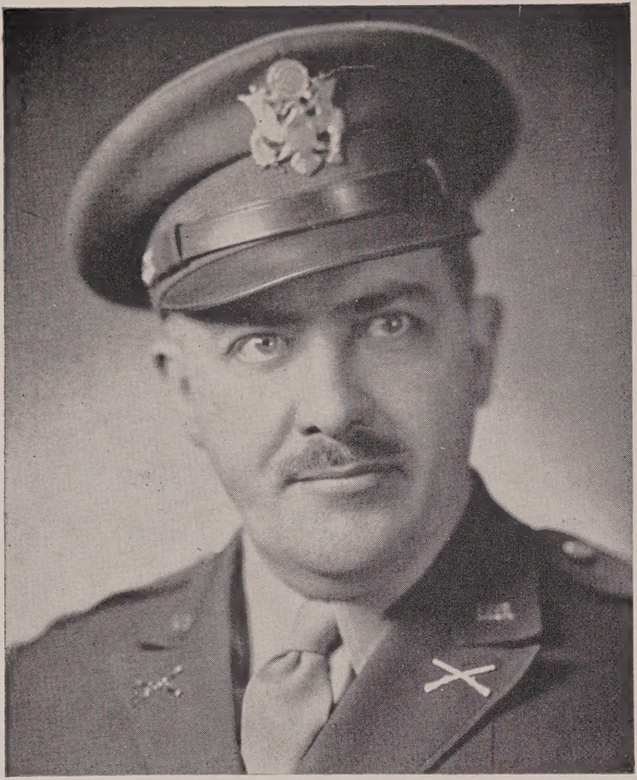
| President | ANTHONY RIZZACASA |
| Vice President | FRED LEWIS |
| Treasurer | RICHARD GLADU |
| Secretary | JOHN BROWN |

Our Key Club this year was under the guidance of Mr. Thomas O'Keeffe of the History Department. To develop initiative and leadership and to provide experiences in living and working together were some of our aims. We boosted Brighton High School sports and sponsored a record hop for students of the high school. In addition, we cooperated in creating and maintaining a sound public opinion and high idealism that make possible the increase of good will, patriotism, and justice.



## Major William F. Sullivan

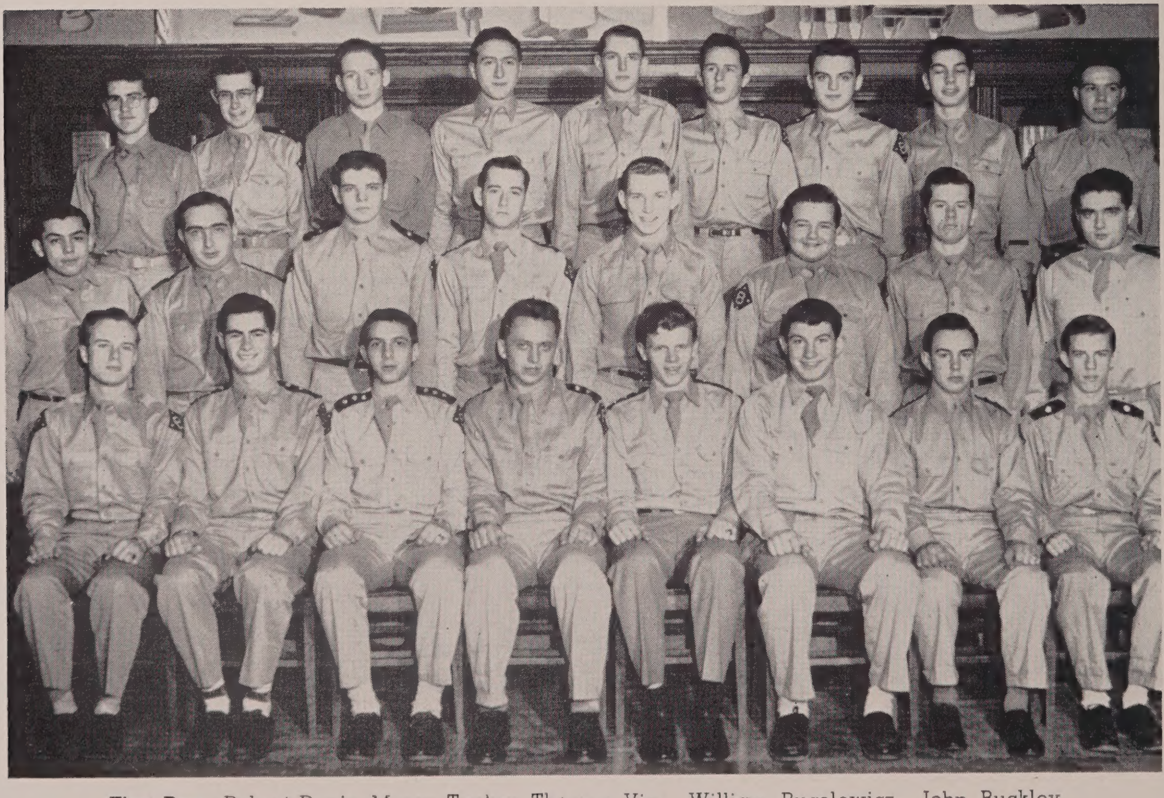
United States Army

Director

of

Military Drill

## Cadet Officers



**First Row:** Robert Davis, Myron Tucker, Thomas Via, William Bucelewicz, John Buckley, John Long, John Eldridge, Donald Kenney.
**Second Row:** Robert Petrillo, Sumner Siman, Clarence Knight, Richard Skinner, William Carroll, Richard Gladu, James McNulty, Robert Waldron.
**Third Row:** Terence McManus, John Brown, Leonard Vaccaro, John Cronin, John Twombly, Lawrence Morris, Melvin Johan, Donald Levin, Hans Seelig.

# Senior Class Color Guard

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# Military Drill

This year the Brighton High School Cadets waited with great anticipation for the coming of Prize Drill and the School Boy Parade. Each company with its respective captain was better than ever so that Prize Drill offered a great deal of competition. As usual the Brighton High School Cadets made such an excellent appearance in the School Boy Parade that the judges awarded them high honors.

To Major William F. Sullivan goes our sincerest appreciation for his untiring efforts in guiding us to success.

Weymouth High School
Exchange Students

Brighton High School
Exchange Students

# Massachusetts Student Exchange Program

On March second, five members of the senior class were privileged to visit Weymouth High School as exchange students. We toured the school and then were taken to the town hall where we learned something of the workings of a town government. At a filtration plant, we were then shown the method used by the town for purifying its water. Following a delicious dinner, we attended the annual town meeting at which we were able to see town government in action.

The visit was returned by five Weymouth students on March ninth. The highlight of the day was the appearance of six of us, three from each school, on a television program. The remainder of the day was spent in visiting historic spots, lunching with various city dignitaries, touring the city hall and attending the city council meeting.

The entire exchange program was an informative one and was influential in making the youth of Massachusetts more eager to learn about their government and its method of operation.

BARBARA RETTIE

# Talent Show

On January 23, 1953, Brighton High School held its annual Talent Show in the high school auditorium.

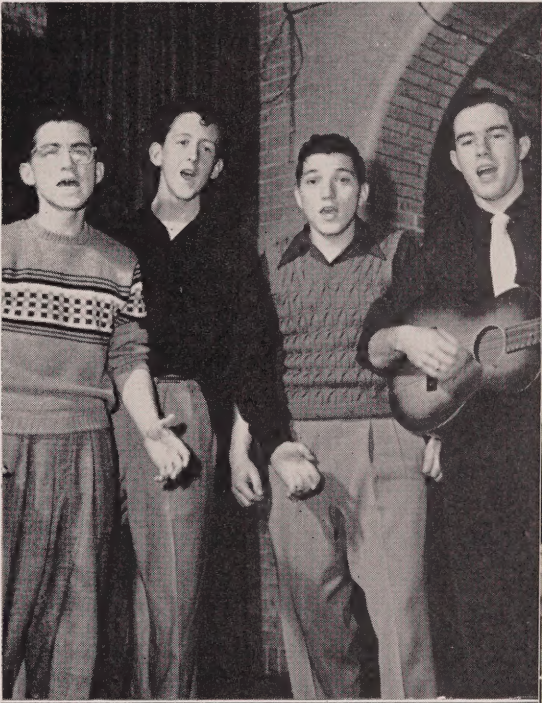
The lights were dimmed; the audience was silent as the Master of Ceremonies, Russell Kushner, stepped before the footlights to welcome everyone and to introduce the first number.

The Pony Line with its leader, Ernestine Pescione, made a spectacular opening. The girls wearing pink and black skirts and white jerseys danced to "Another Opening, Another Show." Some of the outstanding feautres were Jacqueline Riseman, singing "Diamonds Are a Girl's Best Friend"; Joan Sidlowski and Bessie Javaras, in a Barracks Skit, singing "Oh, How I Hate to Get Up in the Morning," a popular theme heard around Brighton High; and Joseph Cocuzzo really twirling the drum sicks in an exciting exhibition.

Our very talented Dorothy Dean sang in her inimitable style "Comes A-long-a-Love." Using the wild West theme for a background, Marilyn Bornstein with her cowboy troupe sang "You Can't Get a Man with a Gun." Cap gun that is! Paula Melnick, a versatile young lady, tapped out her rhythms to the delight of everyone. Therence McManus sang "And So to Sleep Again" and impersonated Nat "King" Cole, Billy Ekstine, and Vaughn Monroe. Rosalie Thomas gave an excellent exhibition of the Modern Dance. The Pony Line concluded an evening of high entertainment.

The Student Council extends hearty thanks to the members of the faculty and to the students who worked diligently to make the Talent Show a tremendous success.

MARILYN BORNSTEIN, Chairman



# The Senior Promenade

The long awaited evening, Friday, May fifteenth, finally arrived — the evening of our Senior Prom. Never before had everyone looked so elegant. Hardly recognizable were our classmates, looking like glamorous Hollywood stars, the girls in their pastel, billowing gowns and the boys in their summer tuxedos.

The beautiful ballroom of Longwood Towers was further enhanced by the gay decorations and the couples whirling to the melodious strains of Harvey Saxe's six piece orchestra.

Highlighting the evening were such specialty numbers as the Spot dance, the Moonlight dance, and the Mexican Hat Dance. Before intermission, the Grand March was led by our president, Anthony Rizzacasa, and his charming guest. All were delighted with dances dedicated to our very successful athletic teams, our honored guests, and to the beloved Class of '53.

Amid the delightful festivity, many seniors felt a little sad because they realized that the end of their school years was fast approaching.

Those who did their best to make the evening a success were Russell Kushner, Chairman of the Executive Committee; Marilyn Bornstein; and Shirley Ellsworth. They would like to express their sincere gratitude to Mr. Lewis, the faculty advisor, who helped arrange an evening which will never be forgotten.

RUSSELL KUSHNER

# Class Day Program

## Auditorium

PROCESSIONAL ........ Senior Class

Chief Marshal Mary Ann Roberts
President Anthony Rizzacasa

FLAG CEREMONY

Pledge of Allegiance
National Anthem

CLASS SONG—HAIL DEAR ALMA MATER ........ Senior Class

Herald Richard E. MacCullagh
Spirit of Brighton High School Joan Sidlowski
Tree Orator Paulina Smith

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR AWARDS

Anna Judson George Scholarship for Excellence in English

Brighthelmstone Scholarships

Alumni Scholarship

Representatives of Courses

College — Nancy Harris
Commercial — Mary Jane Perkins
Cooperative — Joseph R. Riccobene

Physical Education Awards

Barbara Olansky
Donald Kenney

Senior Honor Roll — Laurel Chain

Investiture of Junior Successors with Insignia of Office

Presentation of "The Gothic" to Joseph A. Leary, Head Master
by Lyle Kaufman, Co-Editor

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| ADDRESS OF WELCOME | Anthony Rizzacasa |
| VOCAL SELECTION | Dorothy Deane |
| CLASS HISTORY | Nancy Harris |
| VOCAL SELECTION | Mary Leone |
| CLASS PROPHECY | Alice O'Connor |
| PIANO SELECTION | Lester Fleishman |
| CLASS ORATION | Barbara Rettie |
| VOCAL SELECTION | Alice Johnson |
| CLASS WILL | Marjorie Evans |
| CLASS SONG | Senior Class |
| RECESSIONAL | Senior Class |

**Joan Sidlowski**

Spirit of Brighton High School

Class of 1953

# Class Song

## 1953

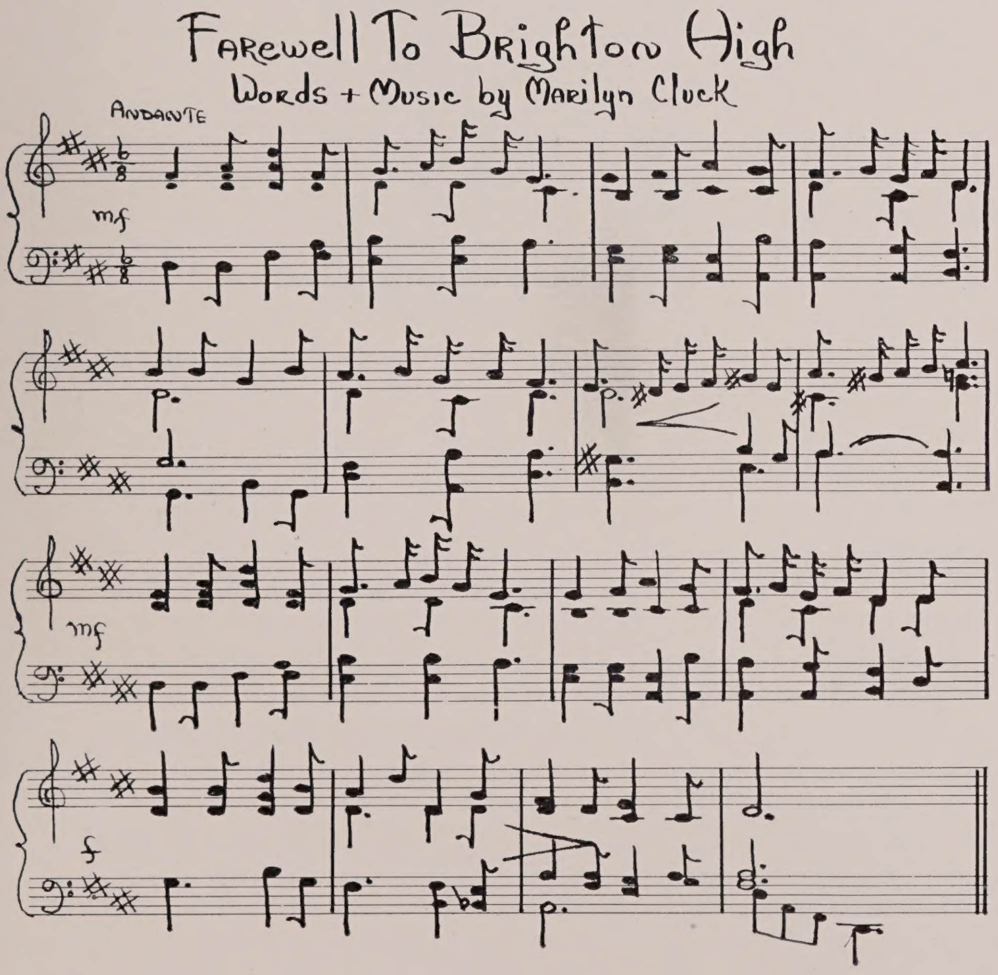
Words and Music by MARILYN CLUCK

I

Brighton High, we bid you sad adieu.
Time has come to say goodbye to you.
Friends we've made here always will remain
True to us forever down life's rocky lane.
Here we learned to work in harmony,
Teachers, students, happy family.
Farewell, farewell to Brighton High,
We bid you fond goodbye.

II

Years have passed since first we entered here,
Years of study, friendship, and good cheer.
Brighton's wisdom shining for our guide,
Strife will not dismay us; time will not divide.
Alma Mater, we'll remember yet;
All you've taught us we will ne'er forget.
Farewell, farewell to Brighton High,
We bid you fond goodbye.


Farewell To Brighton High
Words + Music by Marilyn Cluck
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# Class Day

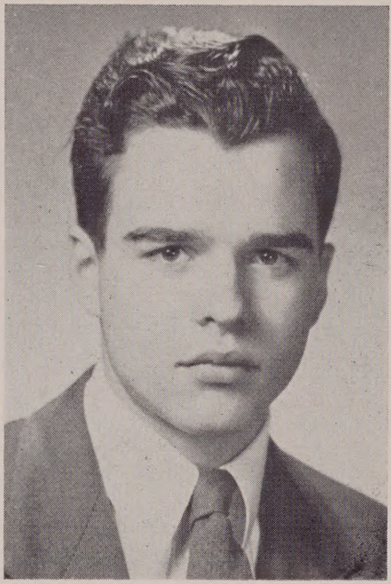
Class Day, the most appealing and stirring activity of the year, will always remain secure in our treasury of memories.

# Auditorium

Arrayed in white, Joan Sidlowski, symbolizing the Spirit of Brighton High School, was seated in the place of honor.

The Herald, Richard MacCullagh, stepped forward to deliver the following address:

I. Hear Ye! Parents and Comrades! We the class of 1953 gladly welcome you on this our festive day. For three years Brighton High School has been our Alma Mater. Now we stand at the open door, ready to leave her sheltering walls for the great adventure of life. Ere we say a courageous "All Hail" to the unknown future, we pause for a sad and grateful farewell to our loved school.



II. Some of us merit special recognition for high scholastic achievement which brings them well - deserved rewards, and reflects honor on their school.

1. Let Barbara Rettie, winner of the Anna Judson George Scholarship for excellence in English, receive from the Spirit of her Alma Mater the symbol of her victory.

2. Let the winners of the Brightelmstone Club Scholarships, Arlene Cohen, Louise Driscoll, and Alice O'Connor, step forward and receive the meed of their intellectual conquests from the Spirit of Brighfon High School.

3. Let the winner of the Brighton High School Alumni Scholarship, Paulette Joffe, receive an award symbolic of scholastic excellance.

4. Let the winner of the Home and School Association Scholarship, Nancy Harris, receive the award indicative of her scholastic prowess.

5. Let the winner of the Brighton High School Scholarship, Helen Missel, receive the award symbolic of her scholastic attainments.

6. Let the Senior and Junior honor students unite in placing the laurels of their attainments at the feet of their Alma Mater.

7. We now bestow praise on a member of the Senior Class, Barbara Olansky, who has been conspicuous during the year in promoting the Brighton High School Spirit by her interest in physical education and who has been personable, faithful, honorable, and reliable.

a. Let Barbara Olansky come forward to receive a medal which betokens her accomplishment.

b. We also commend Donald Kenney, a member of the Senior Class, who has distinguished himself by his work in physical education.

c. Let Donald Kenney come forward to receive a medal of his accomplishment.

8. To one school we are loyal, and in our loyalty we are united. But we are many members in one body. Our various courses give opportunity for full development of various powers.

a. Let a representative of our Co-operative Course, Joseph Riccobene, appear to pay homage to our Alma Mater.

b. Let next a member of our Commercial Course, Mary Jane Perkins, render grateful acknowledgment to her. To these two let there be joined one from our College Course, Nancy Harris, that together all three may show honor to Brighton High School and receive medals which will commemorate their high standing as scholars in whom Alma Mater may justly take pride.

III. Ere we move out into the ranks of the Alumni, we transmit to our successors certain privileges and responsibilities which we have held gladly and faithfully during our senior year. We relinquish these offices to our Junior Comrades with the hope that they may regard them as opportunities for serving the school, and, in filling them, add fresh glories to the name of Brighton High School.

1. Let the President of the Senior Class, Anthony Rizzacasa, invest the President of the Junior Class with the insignia of his office.

2. Let the President of the Student Council, Geogette Turk, transmit to her Junior officer the symbol of her authority.

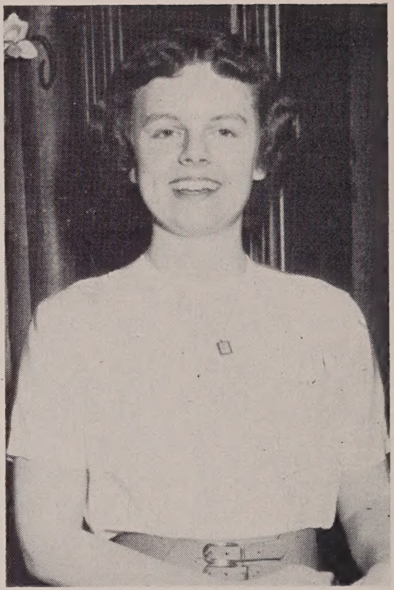
3. Let the Editor of the Towers, Barbara Rettie, pass on to her successor the tokens of her high office.

IV. Now shall the Chief Marshal, Mary Ann Roberts, escort into the presence of the Spirit, our Head Master, Joseph A. Leary, that he may receive from the Co-Editors of the Gothic, Alice O'Connor and Lyle Kaufman, a perpetual memorial—the gift of our yearbook.

V. Let the Seniors now transmit to the Juniors the guardianship of the National Colors.

VI. Let the Seniors now march to plant the Tree which, like their hearts, will cling to the terrace of their Alma Mater. It will become an ever glorious and living symbol of the enduring loyalty of Brighton High School.

# Class Oration



Our last few days at Brighton High are swiftly fleeting past and soon, perhaps too soon, we shall leave our hilltop castle for the last time. We shall journey into a world of mystery—a world suffering the bitter pangs of war, hatred and jealousy. The people of our great country and of the world are looking to us at this hour. We, as young people, must not let them down. With open minds and hearts we must proceed—seeking to build a better world where all may live in perfect peace and harmony.

When we succeed in performing our great task, we shall know that such success could not have been possible without the constant help and guidance we have received during our high school years. Our teachers, therefore, are deserving of praise. They have been to us not merely instructors, but true friends to whom we could always look for advice which was liberally given. We shall not easily forget our teachers and the lessons they have taught us—lessons of patience, tolerance, and understanding for one another which could never be found in a school book.

We cannot forget at this time, our parents. They have always been beside us, ready to lend a helping hand. Their love and affection bind us together forming a wonderful relationship which is so sorely missed by those who are not fortunate enough to be thus blessed. All through the days of our childhood they were near to tend every little hurt and comfort sad little hearts. Yet however they were to us in years gone by, they are even more so now. They are standing by, helping us to make the right decision as to our future; yet they do this sadly, realizing that their sons and daughters are no longer the freckled-faced kids in short pants and frilly dresses but are now young men and women who will soon be venturing out into the world. We shall take this important step, however, with the knowledge that our parents, although they may not be at our side as often as before, will be praying for their sons and daughters, asking God's divine blessing upon us.

As we glance about this auditorium, we see the faces of our friends and classmates to many of whom we shall soon be bidding a final farewell. It is the plan of the world that we must part, each of us going his own separate way, performing his own separate task which will in some small way better the environment of all. How sad we are that we must leave the many friends we have made! Certainly we shall miss their companionship and helpfulness; yet we express thankfulness that we have been fortunate enough to spend three of the best years of our lives here in Brighton High, a school where students of various races and religions can work harmoniously together.

As the words of this oration slowly fade away, we lift up our hearts to God who has so richly endowed us with His blessings. Friends and loved ones may be taken from us, but God will always be with us to guide our footsteps that we may never wander from the pathway, but continue onward to success.

BARBARA LOUISE RETTIE

# Class History of 1953

Impossible though it may seem, we the class of 1953 have reached our long-awaited goal, graduation from Brighton High School. Eagerly and a little fearfully we are about to leave the sheltering walls of the Castle on the Hill and venture into the world on our own. Some of us will continue our educations at colleges or business schools while others will step right into the business world, but no matter where we are next year and in the years to follow, we will strive always to make Brighton High School proud of us as we live up to the high standards instilled in us during our years here.

How vividly we remember our first days as sophomores, trying vainly to find the elevator or the swimming pool which, the upper classmen had assured us, was on the fourth floor.

The sophomore year was an exciting one. We were kept busy by participating in the activities of the various clubs, and attending the games to cheer our teams on to victory. Some of us were even elected home room representatives to the Student Council or to the Towers.

We were sorry to learn that Miss O'Neill, whom we had all grown to love, was going to retire. We knew she well deserved a rest and hoped that she would soon return to visit us.

All too quickly, June arrived, and with it the end of a glorious year. We left for our vacation glad of the relief from homework, but eager for September to come, so that we as Juniors might realize our importance in the Castle on the Hill.

On our return, we learned that Miss Stuart was leaving to become Head of the Commercial Department at the J. E. Burke High School. We were sorry to see her go, but knew that she well deserved the promotion. We were indeed happy to welcome Miss Whalan back into the ranks of the Faculty.

One of the most outstanding events of the year was a Victory Dance in honor of the football team which had added to Brighton's fame by becoming District Champions.

We lost another member of the faculty when patient Miss Miller left to become head of the French Department at Girls' Latin School. We missed her greatly, but welcomed Miss Adams who has added so much to the school in the short time she has been here. We also heartily welcomed Mr. Passaretti, who joined the cooperative department. For a while all was forgotten except the annual talent show which rivalled any Broadway production with its magnificent backdrop and professional acts. Election time approached and with it campaign speeches and posters galore. The lucky four were: President, John Buckley; Vice President, Shirley Ellsworth; Secretary, Anne Spina; Treasurer, Barbara Lombardi.

Before we knew it, the summer had sped by; and we, now the lofty Seniors, were climbing the hill eager to take over the jobs left vacant by the class of 1952.

The best salesmen among the seniors were busy selling advertisements to raise funds for the **Gothic**, not always an easy task.

A hearty welcome we extended to Mr. Kaufman, who joined the faculty as a science teacher. We were saddened to learn that our beloved Miss Maguire was to retire. It was hard for us to picture the office without her efficient, cheerful presence. We were fortunate, however, to have Miss Fee take her place.

One thing disturbed many of us during this last year. Much to the disappointment of the minority, the senior class play was cancelled.

Election time rolled around again, and we became walking signposts, wearing on our backs the posters of our favorite candidates. When the votes were counted, the results were: President, Tony Rizzacasa; Vice-President, John Long; Secretary, Emily Gately; Treasurer, Jeanne Bluteau; Orator, Barbara Rettie; Historian, Nancy Harris; Executive Committee: Russell Kushner, Marilyn Bornstein, and Shirley Ellsworth; Marshals: Mary Ann Roberts, Nancy Davis, Barbara Dulong, Pauline Hurley, Barbara O'Donnell, Mary Leone, Murray Schooner, Myron Tucker, and David Wilson.

Then came class day and graduation rehearsals. For the first time we heard the beautiful class song written by Marilyn Cluck. We elected to change the date of Class Day from June to the beginning of May so that the whole class could be present.

Then arrived the day to which we had been looking forward for so long, May 15, the day of our Senior Prom. All our thanks go to the Executive Committee who worked so hard to make this night one of the most wonderful memories of a wonderful year. The girls looked like princesses in their beautiful formals as they danced across the floor with their escorts elegant in dinner jackets. Never shall we forget how the fragrance of flowers filled the air and mingled with the lovely strains of music!

Now all that remains of our senior year is the day of days, Graduation.

The year itself may be over, but the memories of it will never fade. In the years to come as we look through our souvenirs we will again pay tribute to our school; half a smile, half a tear for three of the most wonderful years of our lives.

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# Class Will of 1953

We, the class of 1953, solemnly vowing that we are of sound mind, do bequeath this last will and testament to our successors.

To B. H. S. we leave our memories of three wonderful years spent within its walls.

To Mr. Leary we leave the juniors to bring greater glory and fame to our dear Alma Mater.

To the Juniors we leave the traditions of B. H. S. for them to uphold.

To the Sophomores we leave a word of thanks for the cooperation they have given us.

To the following faculty members we solemnly bequeath:

To Miss Marshall an automatic proofing machine.

To Mr. Kelliher a senior class that will have all **Gothic** material in on time.

To Mr. Gibbons a bottle of Air Wick.

To Miss Bailey an English class with straight A's.

To Miss Adams a French class containing no athletes.

To Miss Green a new class of math geniuses.

To Miss McCall some "thinking" problems.

To Miss Holland some timid Sophomores for her typing classes.

To Miss Blagdon outdoor gym classes.

To Mr. Murphy and Mr. McCabe a victorious football team.

To Miss Donahue a group of brilliant juniors to populate her homeroom next year.

To Mr. O'Keeffe Joe Pork still trying to win an election.

To Mr. Fitzgerald a before-school math class.

To Miss McCloskey our skill in typing and shorthand.

To Mr. Fickett a class of chemistry experts for next year.

To Miss Rhodes a carload of books to be read by next year's seniors.

To Miss McKissock a class of fashion designers.

To Miss Wilson our extraordinary culinary attainments to be handed on to the juniors.

To Mr. Walsh 36 native-born Frenchmen for his next year's class.

To Miss Gilman the thousands of papers we labored over.

To Mrs. Flynn at least two hundred typed and illustrated notebooks from next year's seniors.

Charles Micale leaves his sympathy to the juniors.

Robert Needham leaves all his demerits to the juniors, hoping they increase in number.

Paulina Smith leaves singing "I Talk to the Trees."

Jerry Granoff leaves, like Jerry Cruncher, looking for old bones.

Lyle Kaufman leaves his ½ of the **Gothic** to next year's ½ editor.

Thomas Keenan leaves, still looking for the model girl of B. H. S.

Fred Lewis leaves—alas! He has already left for Texas.

Edmond Matta leaves Shakespeare rolling in his grave.

Michael Meltzer leaves for Curry College.

Myron Tucker departs, looking like Ted Williams.

Mary Jane Perkins relinquishes her place on the "A" honor roll to some lucky Junior.

Bobby Shea leaves wearing a sharp tie (?).

Joan Sidlowski, our Spirit, leaves in a cloud of mist.

John Strangie leaves Eddie O'Neil to work Miss Wilson's eggbeater.

Arline Cohen leaves to become a secretarial genius.

Patricia Killeen leaves an alarm clock to aid sleepy juniors.

Joan McVey leaves Edna Dyson to inspire next year's sports heroes.

Faith McCrum leaves her history notebook up to date.

Connie Treska leaves her spot in the office.

Honey Wienck leaves with her natural blond hair.

Harriet Hersch leaves lingering laughter.
Edith Ryan gladly leaves her business letters to Miss Marshall.
Joan Bricker leaves her Philadelphia accent.
Mary Brown leaves her long, daily ride from Roslindale.
Norma Cunningham leaves the office neat.
Dorothy Dean leaves her title of "Sweetheart of B. H. S." to Paula Melnick.
Shirley Emerson leaves all the buses and streetcars that she has missed.
Mary Madden leaves her English notebook.
Doris Riseman leaves on time - for once!
Joan Sargent leaves her many secretarial duties to a willing junior.
Pauline Taylor leaves with thoughts of Donny uppermost in her mind.
Patricia Tilton leaves her Florida tan to a pale sophomore.
William Carroll leaves the 53 steps from the first to the third floor.
Tommy Evans leaves peace to Miss Marshall.
Raymond Noonan leaves his car to the garage.
Dick Ring leaves his skating trophy.
Mary Leone, Nancy Davis, Pauline Hurley, Barbara Dulong, David Wilson, and Murray Schooner leave as Class Marshals.
Barbara O'Donnell leaves her ability to snoop for "About Our School" to some unsuspecting junior.
Joseph Riccobene leaves representing the co-op course.
Louise Driscoll and Arlene Dunn leave Latin IV spouting Virgil.
William Bucelewicz, Edward Reiser, and Paul Boyns leave a machine with an ideal mechanical advantage to Mr. Lewis.
Myrna and Alan Kroner leave together.
Bessie Javaras, Chicky Pescione, and Shirley Ellsworth leave to become recruits for the army.
Vivian Aarons leaves with Helen Missel to find their Harvard men.
Gladys Adams and Paulette Joffe leave the **Towers** staff.
Patricia Donovan, Winifred Burke, Eleanor Greenberg, Carolann Corey, Shirley Pruneau, and Joanne Halleran leave memories of the Glee Club behind them.
Sylvia Heinstein leaves for a tour of Europe.
Helen Tempesta leaves her beloved poetry.
Jeanne Bluteau leaves as class treasurer.
Arlene Arseneau, Sally Brooks, Dolores Scardino, Rita Salvucci, Anna Theodore, Ann Burke, Ann Pellegrini, and Mary Cocuzzo leave the younger members of their families.
Jean Gilbert leaves with tears in her eyes.
Sandra Merritt, Michael Cohen, Shirley Grant, and Shirley Lesueur leave their paint pots and brushes to talented juniors.
Ruth Luff leaves her love of frogs to next year's biology class.
Mary Ann Roberts leaves as chief marshal.
Jay Hammond leaves his car with red seat covers.
Richard Kilduff leaves history class wearing glasses.
Lawrence Morris leaves those last period biology classes.
Paul Resnick leaves!
Matthew Sallet left. (Biology class that is!)
Donald Kenney leaves his prowess in physical education.
Charles Nager departs for Israel.
Thomas Via leaves for the movies.
George Rosen leaves, still trying to sell ads for the **Gothic.**
Charlene Sack leaves in a rush. (She has to get to work by three.)
Elinor Silk leaves with "Patches."
Sumner Abrams leaves Mr. "X" to wrestle with Mr. "Y".
Donald Levin leaves his science project to Miss O'Brien.
Jacqueline Adelman leaves for the prom.
Bernice Bloom leaves her plaid weskit.

Lois Burke, Marion Moskos, Audrey Thomas, and Elaine Berman leave for nursing school.
Ellen Friedberg leaves her lunch bags.
Gigi Turk and Anne Spina leave their cheerleader's uniforms.
Ann Culhane leaves, still taking notes for the Student Council.
Marcia Kramer leaves her "genius."
Beverly Yarkin leaves in silence???
Thomas Linnane leaves college review—gladly.
Shirley Muscato, Janice Demerer, Mary Lou Maguire, and Harriet Katz leave with "Stars in their eyes."
June Valente, Marie Coscia, Marie DiRocco, and Rita Pagliocca leave "for the hills."
Arthur Brunelle and Edward Walsh have left for the armed forces.
John Aiello leaves his memoirs to all future seniors.
Ida Cohen leaves her potato chips to a hungry junior.
Marie Corrente leaves late.
Peter Bingel leaves his cracker-barrel stories.
Gerry Dolan leaves, typing 80 words per minute.
Pompei Cedrone leaves all his good excuses for absence.
Lawrence Coffin leaves his goalie position to a good man.
Pat Fenlon leaves trying to figure out school bulletins.
Janet Forbes leaves her own book of Simplified Spelling Rules.
Irma Lampert leaves her passes to Miss Marshall.
Barbara Lombardi leaves Miss Holland peace and quiet.
Steve Connolly leaves his parking space and all parking tickets to a future senior.
Charles Kirby leaves all his tardy slips.
Donald Flint leaves at long last!
John Mahoney, Terry McManus, and Jimmy Meikle leave to form a vaudeville act.
Barbara Olansky leaves her athletic prowess to Marilyn Cuneo.
Paul DeMatteo leaves his bird-like whistle.
Melvin Johan leaves with his new patch of hair.
Frank Tramontozzi leaves his one and only college review home lesson.
Jean Myshrall leaves her shorthand notes.
Arlene Ackerly leaves a muzzle for next year's talkative seniors.
Judith Bloomberg leaves gladly-to go to California.
Charles Brasch leaves for the Air Force.
Faith Dwyer leaves the results of the bookkeeping tests.
James McNulty leaves his proficiency as third baseman to Mr. Murphy.
Katherine McDonald leaves her beautiful pink-rimmed glasses.
Helen Murphy leaves a megaphone to a soft-spoken sophomore.

As we depart and go our way
On our graduation day,
Brighton High, we leave to thee
This will of 1953!

# Class Prophecy of 1953

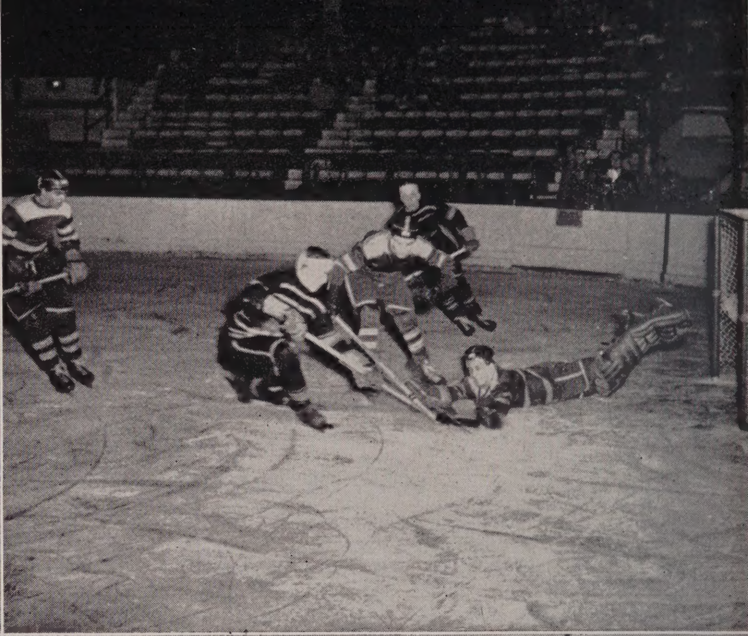
It is the year 1963, the tenth anniversary of Hawaii's admission into the union as the forty-ninth state. In honor of the occasion a party of celebrities has been delegated to visit the island. Arriving in California, our party assembles at the Ambrose and Anastos Airline. At the ticket window we see Barbara Rettie and Billy Luiso, collaborators on America's best seller, **Seize Her, Julius,** and Irv Kardonsky, author of a new Pogo book, purchasing their tickets from Loretta Dawson. Preceded by Fred Duke and his Dandy Doodlers, the U.S. Olympic Team approaches. Chairman Marilyn Bornstein and Captain John Long are checking off the members of the team previous to boarding the plane. John Buckley, Richard Gladu, Melvin Johan, Roy Lemier, Bill Blackshaw, Charles Stenstreem, Carl Balanoff, Bob Hickey, Dick Ring, Rosemarie Vatalaro, and Arlene Driscoll are all present and accounted for. Also waiting to go aboard are Richard MacCullagh, the famous evangelist, Beverly Mahoney, Life Photographer, Richard Duwan, America's Ambassador to Germany, Nancy Harris, executive of the French Importing Co. of Hawaii, Ronald Browall, famous orator, Donald Moore, bubble gum manufacturer and his advertising agent, Lois Lomasney, Anne Spencer, the well-known poet, and Hans Seelig, a college professor. Arthur Sloane and Jackie Haynes, pilot and co-pilot, are conversing with their stewardesses, Anne McInnis, Marilyn Kassatly, and Sandra Miller. As they prepare for the take-off, William Murray, Governor of California, accompanied by his secretary Emily Gately, and Senators Dick Skinner, Pat Tavolieri and Robert Waldron bid them farewell. The plane roars off into the blue and soon arrives at Hawaii.

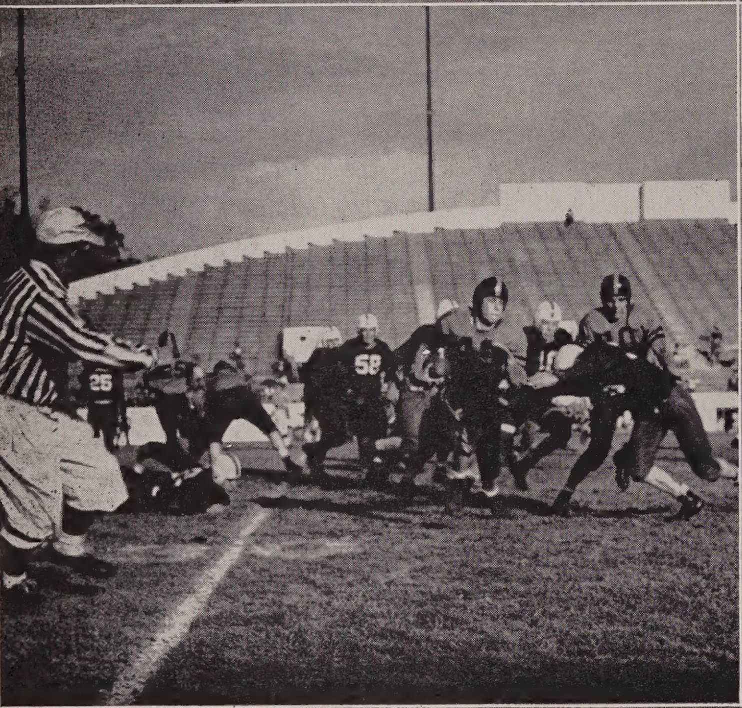
There to greet the party at Ziman's Airport are Governor Tony Rizzacasa and Lieutenant-Governor, Jane Grund. Accompanying them are Official Greeter Eugene Kushner and his reception committee, Barbara Foley, Barbara Bogan, Barbara Higgins, and Lily Kruckovs, who are carrying leis for the visitors. Special cars driven by Bobby Matloff, Larry Lombardi, Fred Brodin, John Kelly, Gerald Tuton, and John Cronin drive them to Harrington's Haven for Honeymooners, managed by Russell Kushner and Gerald Sudbey. At the door Charlie Cocotas and Harley Ostoposides take the bags made by the Little Luggage Co. Some of the party now stop at the flower shop in the lobby. George Cuker the manager and his assistant Beverly Albrecht succeed in selling them some orchids raised by the world renowned flower expert, Sid Finklestein. The entire group now meets in the dining room. Head waiter John Brown, assisted by Robert Bowen and Harold McCormack, takes the orders. Over in the far corner, Alice Johnson of the Passanis Opera Co. and the Rosalie Thomas Ballet Troupe with their designers, Betty Donnelly, Rose DeSalvo and Diane Grinker are chatting with waitresses Betty Crowe, Marsha Sacks, and Alice Annis. At the next table we find William Cooper and John Twombly, co-owners of a modeling agency, enjoying an evening with models Joyce Fritz, Bernice Auld, Natalie Zimboni, Barbara Walsh, Joan Cioppa, Ruth Burke, Camille DeLeo, and Arlene Nilsson. All eyes now turn toward the door, for the Secretary of the United Nations, Mildred Sutthery, wrapped in a lush fur piece that could be created only by Dorothy Demarkles, enters. She is followed by Marjorie Evans, reporter for the **Hawaiian News,** who is trying desperately to obtain an interview.

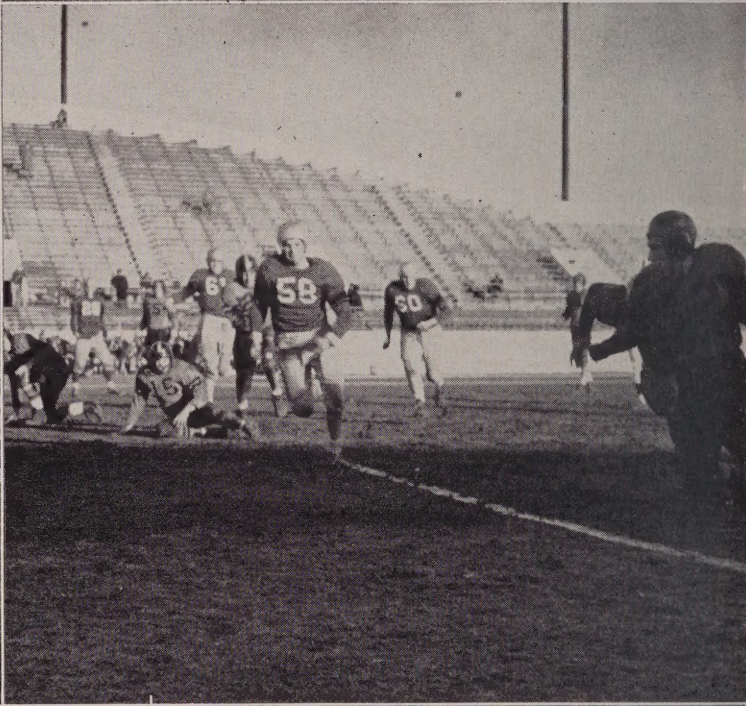
Following dinner our group of celebrities hurries to the Civili T. V. station to attend Arlene Brintnall's popular program. Her special guests are Marilyn Cluck, composer of the top tune on the hit parade, the Fleischman and Knight Piano Team, and Sheila Silverman, star of a radio comedy show. After the program, Roy Lemier and Richard Muise conduct a tour throughout the station. In the spacious office Helen Murphy stops her work long enough to look up and smile. In the next room, which is filled with all kinds of equipment, Sumner Simon and Peter Ryan are hard at work. Back in the lobby, Receptionists Marlene Blotner, Margaret Keane, and Blossom Schwartz are keeping busy trying to persuade John Sweeney and William Maloof that there are already enough T. V. cowboys.

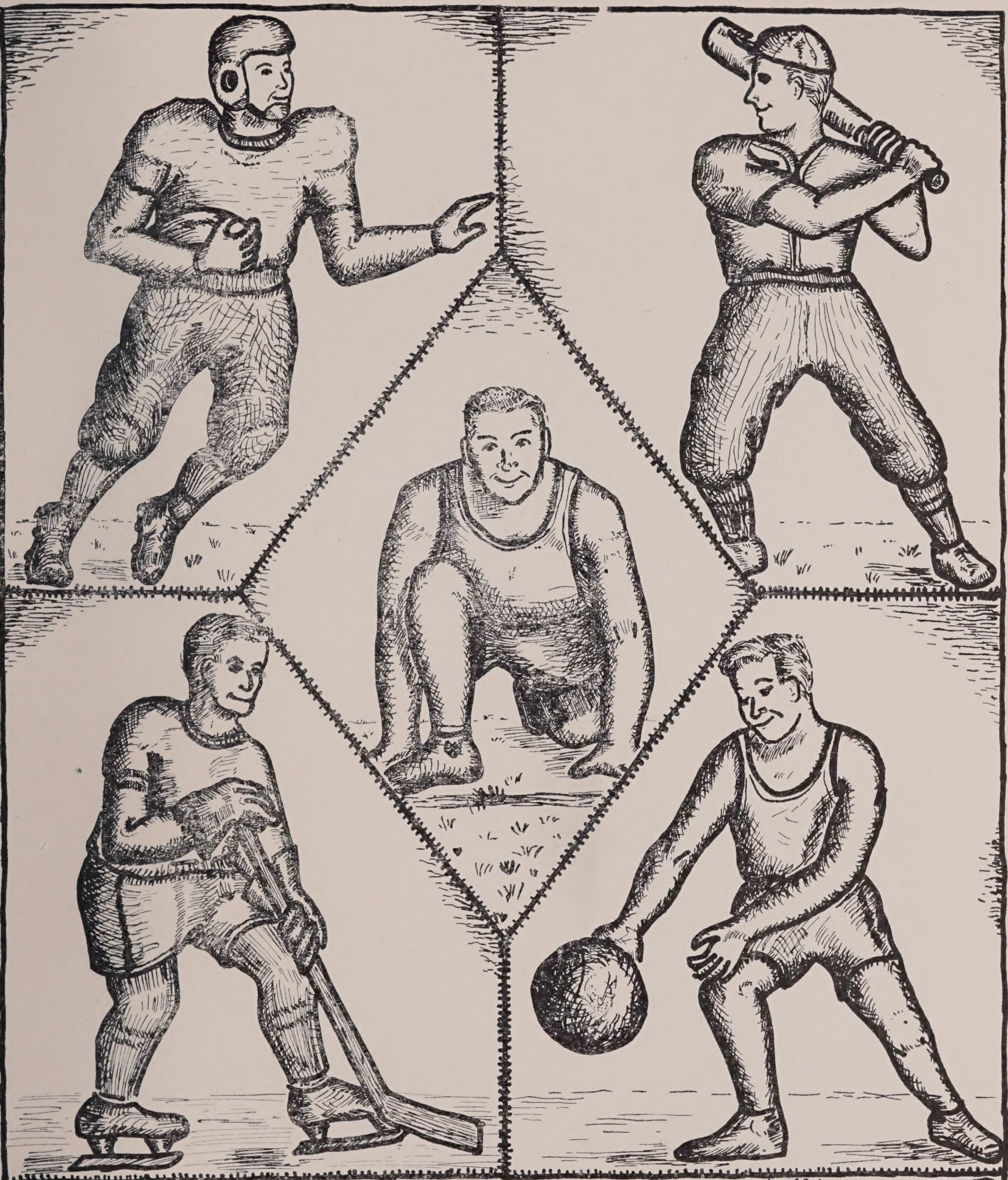
The celebrities now journey to the LaRiccia Night Club. Margaret Barden checks the hats while Pat Walker and Alice Sheehan stand nearby hoping to sell some of their extra-long Kirby cigarettes. Mingling in the crowd are Marie Smith, a Wave officer, Pat Finn, polaroid manufacturer, Lucille Aucoin, head of the Hawaiian Telephone Co., and Alice O'Connor, a pediatrician. On the entertainment list are Marcia Nelson and Esmay Alleyne, well known for their singing of McLaughlin's Hawaiian Lullaby, and the American magician, Connie Joyce, with her assistants Maxine Greenblatt and Josephine Rufo.

Our tired celebrities soon return to Harrington's. A week later, after visiting all the spots of interest, they finally reach the airport, board the plane, and are once again flying in the clouds, this time headed for home.








Michael Cohen

# Athletics

**First Row:** P. Oddo, W. Luiso, E. Matta, R. Lemier, R. Rago, J. Long, A. Rizzacasa, R. Janey, J. DiRocco, R. Gladu.

**Second Row:** S. Simons, W. Carroll, T. Spiro, J. McHugh, R. Sarno, R. Kushner, A. DiFonzo, P. Connelly, R. Mueller, E. Mercurio, W. Murray.

**Third Row:** Coach Murphy, J. Strangie, G. Kotapski, R. Spurrell, E. Jordan, A. Mazzola, W. Stewart, P. Berardi, Mr. Carty.

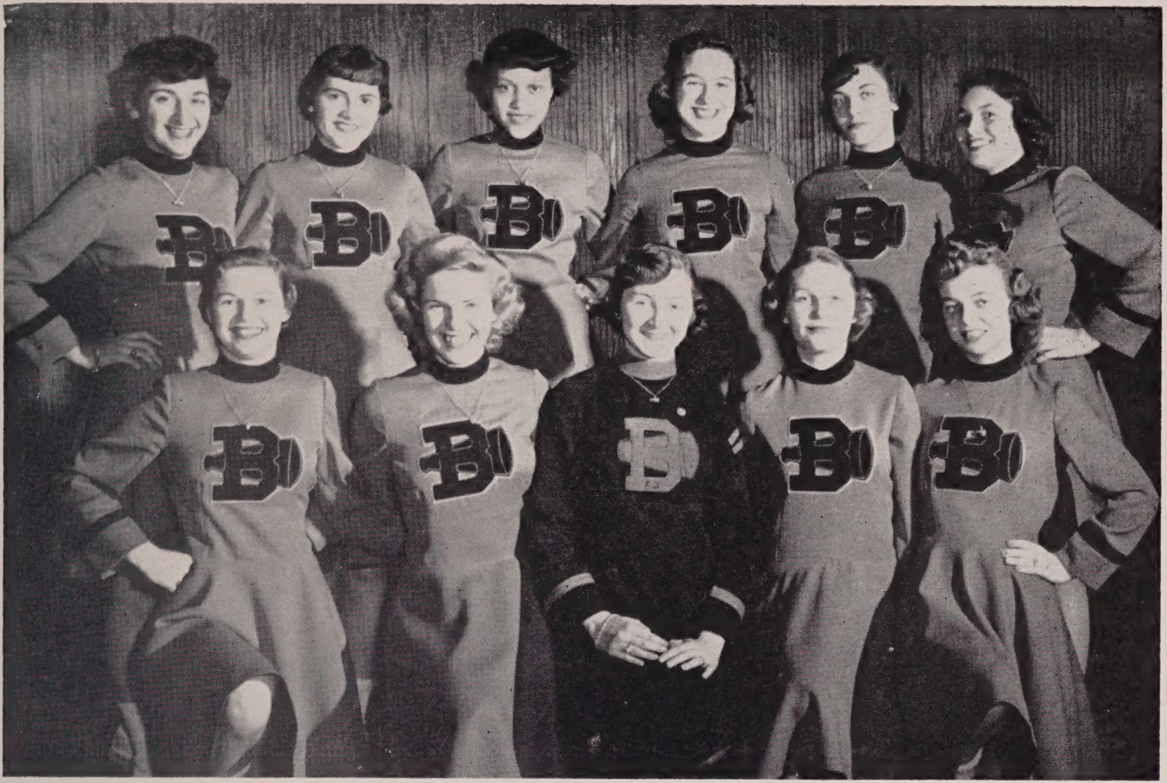
CO-CAPTAINS JOHN LONG and ANTHONY RIZZACASA

# Football

Sparked by the scoring of Roy Lemier, Brighton's football team enjoyed a successful year. Although green, the members showed true Brighton spirit by finishing second, behind a great South Boston eleven. Many excellent players among the lower classmen were discovered so that the future of the team looks very promising. Roy Lemier, with a total of one hundred and forty-three points, won the honor of being the highest scorer in the state and placed on the all-star selection.

Much credit must be given to the other members of the team who by their hard work aided Roy in obtaining great results.

Co-Captains John Long and Tony Rizzacasa did a great job of leading their men to victory and should be proud of the achievements of their teammates.



**First Row:** J. Sidlowski, E. Dyson, J. McVey, A. O'Connor, S. Ellsworth.
**Second Row:** G. Turk, V. Belasco, M. Roberts, A. Culhane, A. Spina, J. Bluteau.

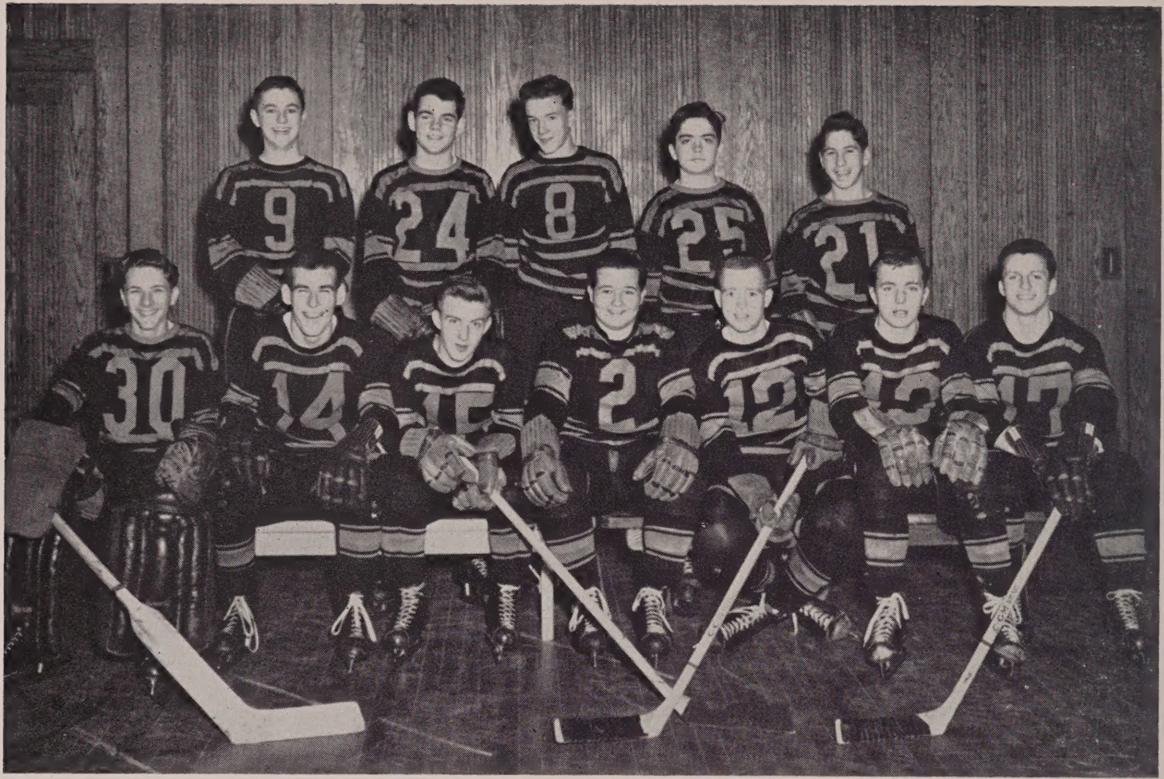
## Cheerleaders

Our eager, enthusiastic cheerleaders in their orange and black uniforms evoked the applause of the spectators at both football and basketball games.

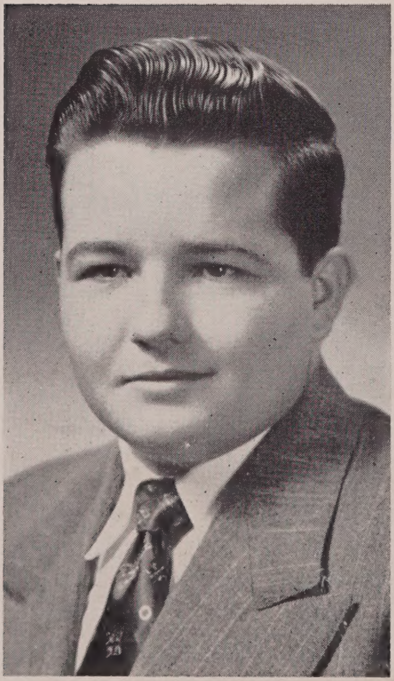
These energetic girls were Captain Joan McVey, Ginny Belasco, Jean Bluteau, Ann Culhane, Shirley Ellsworth, Alice O'Connor, Mary Ann Roberts, Joan Sidlowski, Anne Spina, Gigi Turk, and the junior cheerleader and next year's captain, Edna Dyson.

This year the cheerleaders effected a change in costume from the traditional sweater-and-skirt combination of other years. Long-sleeved princess style dresses of a brilliant orange were embellished with a startling black **B.** Our leader Joan McVey in black with orange trim, made a striking contrast to the other cheerleaders.

ANN CULHANE



**First Row:** R. Woolfson, F. Hurley, W. Kavey, R. Gladu, W. Murray, R. Shea, A. Rizzacasa.
**Second Row:** T. Swanson, P. Connelly, G. Cullen, R. Flaherty, B. Resnick.



CAPTAIN RICHARD GLADU

# Hockey

Being coached for the first time by Mr. John Morris, a former Boston College goalie, the Brighton High hockey team had one of its best seasons in many years.

Five lettermen of 1952 returned to provide the spark for great playing. They were William Murray, Robert Kavey, Robert Shea, Anthony Rizzacasa, and Richard Gladu. Their high spirit led them to victory.

Before the season began, the members of the team feared that the Arena would not be available for their favorite sport. To the Boston Athletic Directors, therefore, go many thanks for making possible an exciting hockey season.

**First Row:** J. McNulty, R. Gladu, J. Twombly, W. Murray, R. Kaplan, J. Long, M. Johan, D. Kenney.

**Second Row:** Mr. Murphy, G. Rosen, F. Hurley, R. Hickey, T. Vrountas, R. Shea, J. White, A. Rizzacasa, J. Buckley, R. Rago.

# Baseball

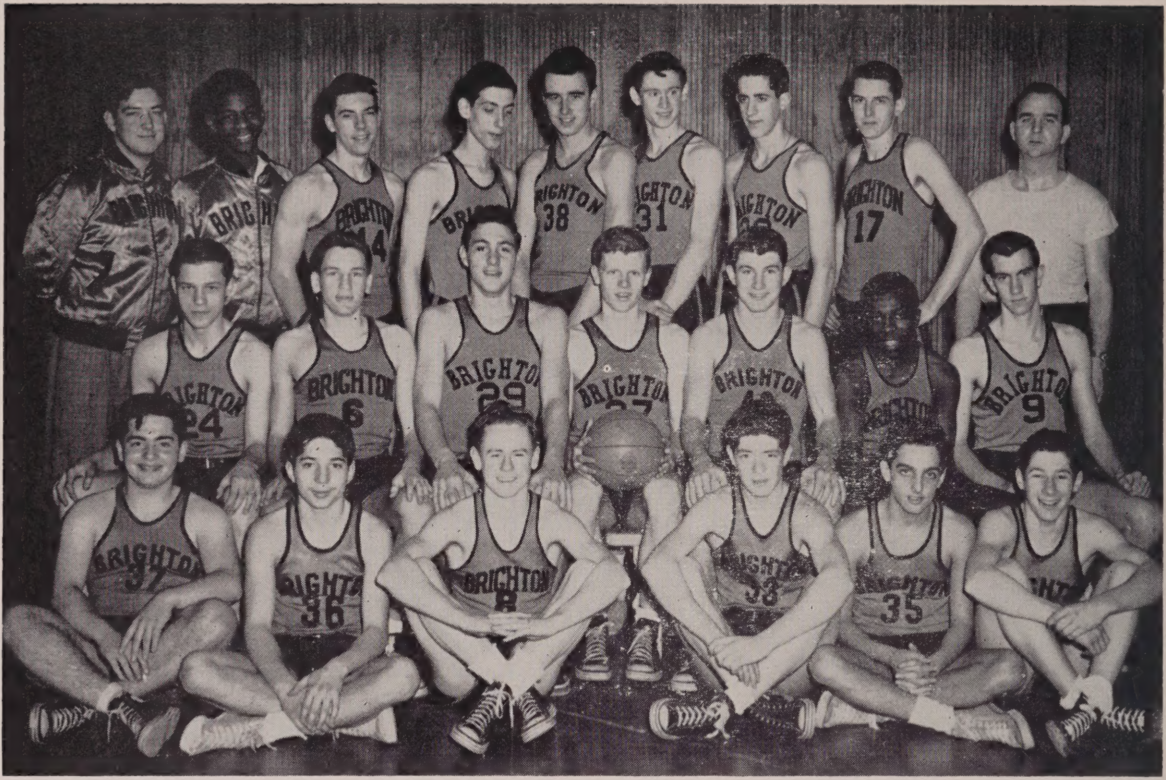
Endless hours of practice and training made Brighton High School's baseball team one of the outstanding clubs in the state.

Some of the regular varsity players who returned to last season's training included Ralph H. Kapilian, Captain and left fielder; William Murray, right fielder; John Long, catcher; William Blackshaw, third baseman; and Richard Gladu and John Twombly, pitchers. Other veterans included Melvin Johan, first baseman; James McNulty, second baseman; and Roy Lemier, right fielder.

Coached by Mr. William Murphy, who was ably assisted by Mr. Robert McCabe, the team attained a success attributable not to the efforts of individual heroes, but to the skill of a group working cooperatively.

Let us all salute our baseball team — wonderful fellows who have brought fame and honor to our Alma Mater.

CAPTAIN RALPH KAPILIAN



**First Row:** M. Harris, V. Dolcimascolo, J. Graham, R. Babbin, F. Shapiro, E. Jordan.
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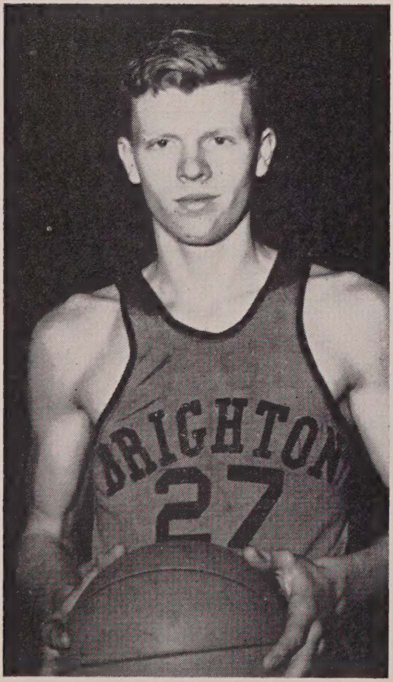
**Third Row:** J. White, R. Peace, D. Marsden, A. Savage, J. Textor, A. Butler, J. Sweeney, J. Twombly, Mr. McCabe.



CAPTAIN JOHN BUCKLEY

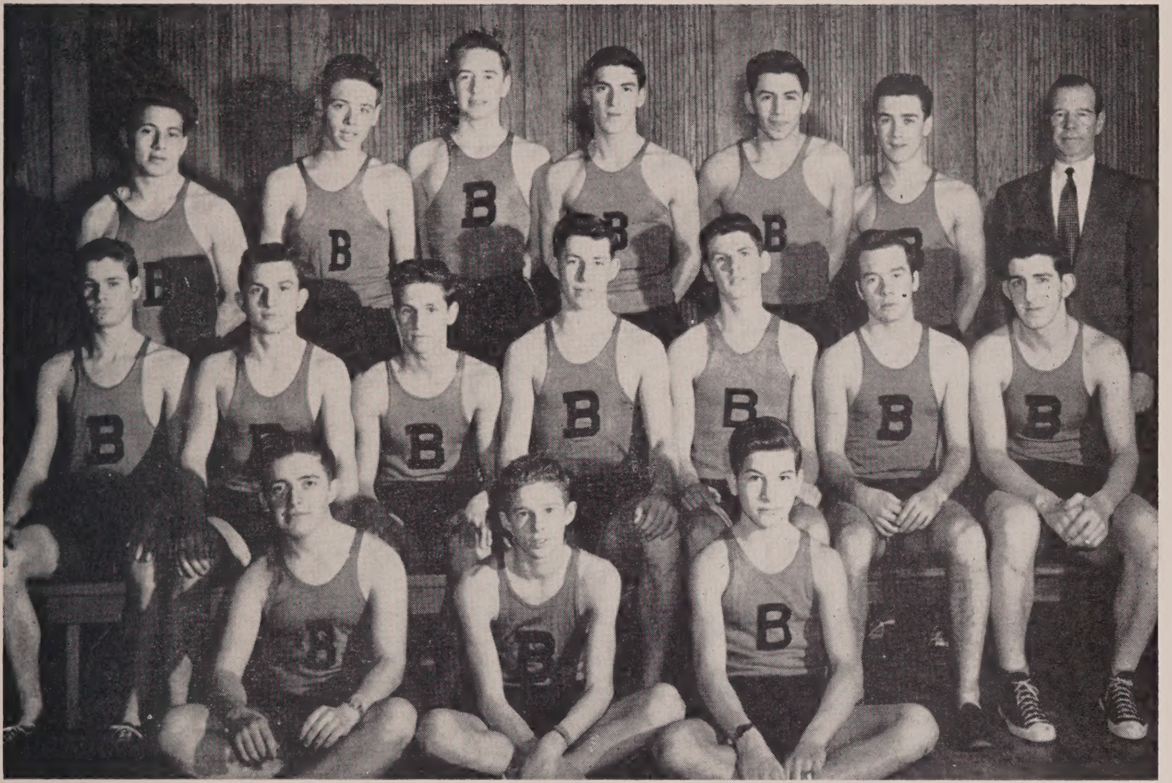
# Basketball

The basketball team again finished second for its third consecutive year. At the beginning of the season with only one veteran returning, the outlook was dim, but the team showed its spirit and determination by winning all but three games: two to the great Hyde Park five and one game, by one point, to South Boston.

Next year the team will have nine veterans and consequently will expect to rank high.

John Buckley established a new record in scoring honors in the league by piling up 313 points for an average of 22.5 points a game.

Seniors who helped the team to victory were John Long, Allan Kroner, and John Buckley of the first team, with John Sweeney, John Twombly, and Robert Hickey of the second team; junior, Ronald Mueller; and sophomore, Eustis Payne.



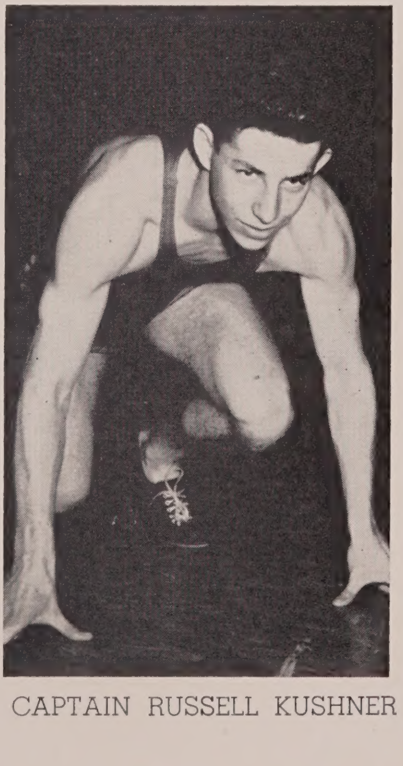
**First Row:** L. Doucette, J. Repta, F. Deban
**Second Row:** J. Desmond, J. Williams, W. Webb, R. Kushner, W. Hurley, J. Casey, J. Needham.
**Third Row:** R. Rago, W. Yokell, F. Tillotson, W. Luiso, P. Berardi, R. Skedgell, Mr. Murphy.

# Track Team

Even though the track team of '53 was not so large as other Brighton teams of the past, it contained members of high speed and endurance.

Paced by a few returning lettermen, the squad turned in a very creditable showing. The best veterans were Bill Hurley, Charles McDonnell, and Thomas Linnane. They were ably assisted by Earl Webb, Dan Foley, Feris Deban, and Francis Vitiello—all outstanding newcomers to the team.

It is the fervent hope of this year's team that in the years to come more boys will realize what a great opportunity track offers for the development of a strong body and a quick mind.



CAPTAIN RUSSELL KUSHNER

**First Row:** L. Young B. Olansky, M. Cuneo, P. Randall, L. D'Agostino, C. Brady.
**Second Row:** B. Mullen, J. Wilson, B. Mullen, E. Dyson, L. Mazzola, A. Stamm, C. Sweeney, D. Rufo.

# Bowling Club

Every Tuesday afternoon, the Bowling Club met at the Commonwealth Alleys near Brighton Avenue. There were several that competed with each other; however, the score for each individual girl was kept. On rare occasions good fortune struck at the door to the tune of STRIKE. This year, top scorer was Marilyn Cuneo, captain of the team.

**First Row:** H. Chapas, M. Cuneo, P. Randall, D. Rufo, J. Wilson, B. Mullen, P. Ackerly, G. Morris.

**Second Row:** C. Brady, L. Young, P. Walker, H. Missel, B. Mullen, V. Aarons, B. Olansky, J. Pennell, G. Sullivan.

**Third Row:** C. Sweeney, E. Dyson, L. Korolick, L. Mazzola, C. McAvoy, E. Gordon, T. Lee, N. Dunlap, D. Lyons, A. Stamm, L. D'Agostino, Miss Hayes.

# Girls' Basketball

On Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons the girls' basketball team met in the gymnasium under the direction of Miss Hayes. This lively athletic group engaged in both intramural and interscholastic contests. Prompted by a wholesome spirit of competition, the girls added much zest and vigor to their games.

We hope that by displaying the same enthusiasm and skill future teams will attain a degree of success comparable to ours.

**First Row:** B. Mullen, L. Young, M. Cuneo, E. Dyson, G. Parker, J. Meikle.
**Second Row:** B. Mullen, N. Koban, J. Pennell.

# Swimming Club

For ten weeks, beginning in October and again in April, the Swimming Club of the Brighton High School met at the Y.W.C.A., Clarendon Street, Boston. Every Wednesday afternoon the pool was reserved for those who wished to take advantage of the free instruction that was offered to our girls. The group was divided into three classes: beginners, intermediates, and seniors.

At the end of the ten weeks, those who had learned the fundamentals and the strokes necessary for safe swimming received the Red Cross Certificate.

**First Row:** L. Young, B. Mullen, P. Randall, H. Chapas, G. Parker, D. Rufo.

**Second Row:** M. Cuneo, B. Mullen, J. Bluteau, H. Missell, B. Olansky, V. Aarons, P. Walker, P. Joffe, B. Schwartz.

**Third Row:** J. Wilson, L. D'Agostino, J. Meikle, C. Pontes, D. Lyons, N. Dunlap, C. Sweeney, J. Pennell, A. Stamm, P. Ackerly, G. Morris, Miss Hayes.

**Fourth Row:** L. Mazzola, C. Brady, T. Lee, C. McAvoy, E. Gordon, N. Koban, G. Sullivan, E. Dyson, L. Korolick.

## Softball

As spring training began for the major league teams, so did training begin for the Girls' Softball Squad of the Brighton High School. On Monday afternoons, the teams in blue and white uniforms competed on the wide terrace. All the girls who were members of the team learned to pitch, hit, and field correctly. They acquired such skill that often times there developed a "fight to the finish" spirit. However, there were no hard feelings as the game teaches good sportsmanship.

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